

Maize Crop Playing Out With Drouth

TOTAL OF 12 CARS OF GRAIN SHIPPED AS PRODUCERS SEE MOST OF CROP FADING

In spite of continued hot and dry weather that is almost precluding much of a maize crop in the Hamlin area, eight more cars of the head grains had been shipped this week by Hamlin buyers to make the season's total 12. Three more cars had been shipped from Tuxedo for a season total of seven from that point, eight miles east of Hamlin.

Price for the vital grain maintained a high level here. Buyers were quoting a price of \$2.55 per 100 pounds on the market here Wednesday.

Last year's shipments of combine maize from Hamlin was 197 cars. This year's acreage was upped considerably from last season's and early indications were that producers of the area would "hit the jackpot." Then a rainless July came along after only spasmodic showers fell during the month of June—and there went the rosy prospects that farmers of the section had nurtured along.

The hundreds of acres planted to maize this year in the Hamlin area still would yield some feed in most instances if rains came within the next few days, but producers and others are already singing the swan song over much of the crop as far as grain production is concerned.

Farmers are planning to resurrect some feed value from the stalks, but hesitate to cut the stalks before they begin to burn up in the hope that rains will come.

Average maize is from two to three feet high, with heads in the stage of forming.

TWO NEW ROTARY MEMBERS NAMED AT CLUB LUNCHEON

Two additions to the roll of the Hamlin Rotary Club were reported Wednesday at noon when the civic group met at the Morgan Hotel in regular weekly luncheon. Bobby Watson, new Hamlin district manager for Lone Star Gas Company, is a transfer Rotarian, and W. R. Wilkerson, retail grocer, was proposed as a new member.

W. F. Martin Jr., program committee chairman, acted as pinch-hitter entertainer when his arranged program failed to materialize. He reviewed in typical barrister fashion the immortal oration of the lawyer's pleading of breach of promise case by Mrs. Bardell against Mr. Pickwick taken from Charles Dickens' book, "Pickwick Papers."

Guests at the Wednesday Rotary luncheon were C. C. Chenoweth and son, Cecil Chenoweth, of Abilene and John Simmons of Sweetwater.

Algae Flavor in Water In City Being Remedied

Algae (flavor of moss to most of us country folks) gave the Hamlin city water supply a "creaky" taste over the week-end because of conditions at the new city lake, source of Hamlin's water.

However, shortly after the taste was detected by City Water Superintendent W. G. Rountree, the mal-taste was remedied, and mains were being emptied of the algae water by users.

Rountree explained to The Herald that it requires several days to empty the mains of millions of gallons of water in the lines between the lake and in the city mains.

Grass Fire at Oil Mill.

Hamlin Fire Department made a run to the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill Saturday afternoon at 5:10 o'clock when grass threatened some mill buildings. A trash burner was blown over by a whirlwind and grass was caught from the burning trash. No damage was done.

SOME DRY MONTH!

July was so dry most folks just blew out a little dust when they tried to whistle.

This is the report of W. G. Rountree, official government weather gauger for Hamlin. He charted only .27 of an inch of rain on July 3—and this was .27 of an inch more than he received at his home, nine blocks northwest of the water pump station where the government gauge is located.

Last month was the driest July old-timers can remember. Such reports are being recorded from many other sections of the country.

CONSUMPTION OF CITY WATER IN JULY SETS ALL TIME HIGH

Water consumption by users in the City of Hamlin reached an all time high of 19,068,700 gallons for the month of July, figures released this week by the city water department revealed. Highest previous consumption by city users was 13,000,000 in August, 1945. Last July's gallonage totaled 9,240,600.

City Secretary Mrs. Clinton Barrow stated Wednesday that 835 water connections were billed in July, a record number in the history of the city waterworks. This was a gain of 114 over last July's 721 connections.

Numbers of others have made applications for service, and several will be added during the month, according to City Water Superintendent W. G. Rountree.

Shortage of water pipe has held down the number of potential connections, city authorities explained this week.

Many new business concerns and residences have accounted for most of the 15 per cent gain recorded during the past 12 months.

With installation of additional pumping and water processing facilities by the city as soon as equipment is available will permit the water department to care for normal growth of this booming little metropolis.

Rev. Yeats Preaches at Early Elbert Pastorate

Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the Hamlin Methodist Church, returned Monday from Elbert, Throckmorton County, where he closed a one-week revival meeting for the Methodist Church. Fifteen professions of faith and one addition by certificate were reported by church officials as result of the meeting.

Rev. Yeats was pastor of the Elbert church about 25 years ago. This was his first return to his early pastorate.

Eyssen and Culbertson Named Demo Delegates

Two Hamlin men were named as Jones County delegates to the state Democratic party convention when the county Democratic convention was held last Saturday at Anson. They are Joe Culbertson and W. H. (Bill) Eyssen Jr. Other delegates named are Lee McCaleb and Clarence Johnson of Anson. R. J. Barrett and T. O. Rowland were named alternates.

The delegates were instructed to vote for the Democratic nominee for governor at the Dallas convention. The county convention was a quiet affair.

Swenson Softballers to Play Oilers Friday Night

Swenson softball team will furnish the competition for the Hamlin Oilers Friday evening at the city ball park, it was announced Wednesday. The Radium nine, slated for the tilt with the Oilers, cannot attend because of a revival meeting being conducted in the community to the south.

Albany softball girls' team will play a return game with the Hamlin girls Saturday evening at the park. The locals defeated the Shackelford County team at Albany last Thursday evening by a 25 to 11 score.

City Taxable Values Go to New Height

NEW PROPERTY ACCOUNTS FOR MOST OF GROWTH—OWNERS MAY PROTEST RAISES

Net raise of several thousands of dollars in property tax valuations of the City of Hamlin for 1946 is expected by city officials. In checking over the renditions rolls now being compiled for tax purposes by the city secretary's office much new property has been listed, and more than 100 valuations rendered by citizens of the city have been raised.

About 200 postal cards were mailed to Hamlin property owners by the city secretary's office last week to advise them that their tax renditions for 1946 had been raised or lowered by the board of equalization for the City of Hamlin.

Hearings of citizens will be conducted by the board of equalization on August 12 and 14, next Monday and Wednesday, it is announced by Mrs. Clinton Barrow, city secretary. property wishing to protest the rendition equalization suggested by the board may appear at that time, it is announced.

After the hearings, the tax rolls will then be tabulated and statements mailed to property owners. Taxes may be paid on October 1, and will become delinquent January 1, 1947.

Foundation Completed On New VA Structure For Hamlin Schools

Piers, footings and foundations of concrete had been completed on the new vocational agriculture building on the Hamlin High School grounds this week, it was reported by T. C. Blankinship, VA teacher. Walls of the new structure are slated to start up next week. Walls will be of concrete tile.

Steel framework and roof trusses for the new additional to the Hamlin Schools system of buildings was completed Wednesday.

The new structure will furnish three additional stalls for busses to be operated by the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District. The new building adjoins the present bus garage on the east end. It is scheduled to be completed by the time school opens in September.

Thomas Penny Enlists In Army for 18 Months

Thomas Penny Jr. last week volunteered for the regular Army for a period of 18 months, according to an Army release to The Herald.

Prior to his enlistment in the Army Penny was a farmer. His wife is Eunice Evelyn Penny of Route 4, Hamlin.

VOCATIONAL CLASSES FOR VETERANS OF HAMLIN SLATED UNDER GI TRAINING PLAN

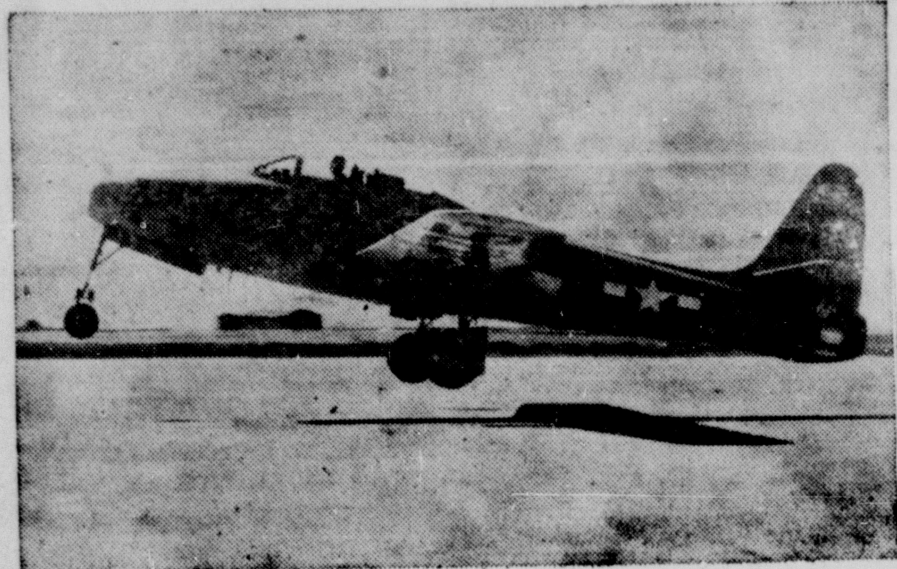
Establishment of veterans' vocational training classes in a school at Hamlin was being undertaken this week by a group of ex-service men cooperating with James W. Love, coordinator for Jones County.

Enrollment of at least 20 veterans right away was expected by the unit, in order to get classes in the proposed school started by August 15.

Purpose of the school, as outlined by the locals, is to assist veterans to establish or reestablish themselves in gainful vocational pursuit in accordance with the educational opportunities of the G. I. Bill of Rights; and to establish these vocational opportunities for those veterans who desire to remain in their present communities and who do not desire to enroll in established schools outside of their own community.

A class will be started in Hamlin when as many as 20 vets who have their certificates of eligibility sign up to attend one class. Courses will be offered in agriculture, distributive education, and trade and indus-

NEW JET PLANE FLIES 600 MILES PER HOUR



The streamlined post-war Army Air Forces sports a powerful new fighter. Built by the Republic Aviation Corporation, the jet-propelled P-84 approaches a speed of 600 miles an hour, has a range of 1,000 miles, and a

service ceiling of more than 40,000 feet. The Herald publisher recently viewed a P-84 in a Houston air show. In flight, the sound of the plane was about a mile behind the plane flying 10 miles a minute.

GIRLS' TEAM GOES TO STATE SOFTBALL MEET AT FT. WORTH

Jones County girls' softball team was scheduled to have left Thursday morning for Fort Worth, where they will participate in the Texas division tournament of the American Softball Association, which begins Friday and continues through Sunday. Teams from all over Texas are taking part in the three-day tourney. Winners will go to the national meet.

Jones County's team, to be known as the Plainview Oilers, is composed of girls from six regional teams that have been playing at Plainview this summer.

The all-star girls' team played a warm-up game with a Sweetwater girls' aggregation Friday night at Sweetwater, the locals losing.

Scheduled to make the trip to Fort Worth Thursday were these girls: Fayrene Weaver, Gladys Carter, Laverne Jenkins, Dorothy Mae Jenkins, Mickey Anglin, Wanda Ford, Wendy Carlton, Lela Mae Brigham, Bobbie Ruth Brown and Opal Dunnam.

George Ashburn and Hoyt Goodwin are managers of the group. Chick Hewitt will be chaperone of the girls. They are slated to return home Monday.

Cemetery Working Set At Neinda Next Tuesday

Officials of the Neinda Cemetery Association this week are urging the people of the community, and others who have loved ones buried there or are interested in the cemetery's upkeep, to meet next Tuesday morning at 8:00 for an all-day working of the grounds.

Workers are urged to bring their own tools, as well as lunch baskets. A picnic style lunch will be spread at the noon hour.

JOE L. CULBERTSON REELECTED LEGION POST COMMANDER

Joe L. Culbertson, veteran of World War I and ex-mayor of Hamlin, was reelected commander of the Keefer-Patterson Post of the American Legion when veterans of the organization met Monday evening at the Legion Hall in the city hall in annual business session.

Other officers named at the Monday evening meeting were: Brad Rowland Sr., first vice commander; Roy Flowers, second vice commander; Fred B. Moore Jr., third vice commander; Aubra L. Wilkins, fourth vice commander; Fred C. Smith, reelected adjutant; J. T. Miller, sergeant-at-arms; W. F. Martin, chaplain; and Arlie Cassle, service officer.

In a simultaneous gathering of the American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Brad Rowland Sr. was named president of the woman's group to succeed Mrs. Pearl Hudson; Mrs. Homer Rainey was named vice president; Mrs. Jimmy Simmons, secretary; and Mrs. A. Hudson, treasurer.

The new officers will be installed at a county-wide gathering of the three American Legion posts slated sometime in September at the American Legion Hall in Anson. Officers from the posts at Stamford, Hamlin and Anson will be inaugurated in special ceremonies.

Everett Beaver Named County Superintendent

Everett Beaver, Anson Chamber of Commerce secretary, is the new Jonety school superintendent.

He was named by the Commissioners Court to fill the unexpired term of his father, B. T. Beaver, who died last week. The term expires January 1.

Until the Chamber of Commerce vacancy is filled Mrs. Ray McCarty, assistant, will operate the office.

Milton Cary Confesses To 17 Region Forgeries

Milton Cary of Kermit, formerly of Hamlin, signed confession to 17 forgeries is Jones and Fisher Counties this week, District Attorney Esco Walter reported first of the week to The Abilene Reporter-News.

He had been charged with 11 cases in Jones County and six in Fisher but no indictments have yet been brought. He will be taken before the grand jury in September, Walter said.

Six Per Cent Raise on Farm Equipment Seer

Hamlin area farmers and ranchers were this week concerned over the prospect for increased prices on farm equipment, which were being posted with sanction of the revived OPA set-up.

In its first official action under the new price control law, OPA Saturday authorized an average six per cent increase in retail ceilings for all farm machinery and replacement parts.

Guinn Youth Drowned At Hamlin Lake

EFFORTS TO REVIVE VISITING LAD FROM CALIFORNIA FAIL AFTER HOURS' WORK

Efforts to revive Bill Guinn, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Guinn of Ventura, California, who drowned late Tuesday afternoon at the Upper Moore Lake, three miles west of Hamlin, were unsuccessful Tuesday night. Artificial respiration was administered by Hamlin people called to the scene pending the arrival from Abilene of Assistant Fire Chief E. L. Brock and Fireman R. L. Brown, whose efforts to revive the youth with a pulmotor failed after more than two hours' work.

Young Guinn, who was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kite at Hamlin, drowned while swimming with some other boys late Tuesday.

Witnesses said the youth was swimming with his cousins, Alton, Lovenia and Oleta Kite, Harry Harrison and Lindol Beard near the lake dam when he suddenly became frightened. Alton Kite and Lindol Beard swam to the rescue but were pulled under water by the drowning boy.

Aid was summoned by telephone from Hamlin, and Teddy Russell Harold Wheat and Starr Inzer, who arrived about 20 minutes after Guinn had sunk for the third time, began attempts to recover the body. Wheat located the body in about nine feet of water by diving.

The boy's mother, who accompanied him here from California, was in Stephenville with her sister, Mrs. Landy Jameson, who had recently undergone surgery there. She arrived at Hamlin late Tuesday night after being notified of the accident.

Funeral arrangements were not known late Wednesday, awaiting arrival of the boy's father from California. The body was being held by Barrow Funeral Home.

More Blue Stone Added To Moore Lake Waters

Another big dose of blue stone was distributed in the Moore Lake, mile west of Hamlin, last week by the city, under direction of C. C. Cobble, city lake keeper. The blue stone is placed in the water to kill the moss growth.

About 1,100 pounds of the mineral was scattered over the lake area on Monday and Tuesday, and reports this week are that most of the moss has already been killed and settled to the bottom.

Removal of the moss makes fishing better and also makes the water safer in case of accident. Only shad, a worthless fish, is killed by the mineral, Cobble explains.

Hamlin Men at Anson Rally for Omar Burleson

Art Carmichael and A. Spencer Monday evening attended a Burleson-for-Congress rally at Anson, when plans were made for carrying Omar Burleson's campaign to all portions of the 12-county 17th Congressional District.

Burleson is pitted against William W. Blanton of Albany in the run-off primary election slated August 24.

MARRYING JUSTICE

Gals and guys of the McCaulley section have a new marrying justice of the peace—George Darden, erstwhile Pot-Shots writer for the McCaulley community, which appears regularly on the back page of The Herald.

There must have been some urgent matters in store for a justice in our neighbor town, as George's name was written in by his friends on the July 27 ballot.

George says he wasn't hankering for the job, but will do his best to do everything that is expected of a first-rate justice.



WOMEN

IN THE



NEWS



Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Pehkonen Friday

Mrs. Foy Mitchell was hostess at a bridal shower last Friday honoring Mrs. E. A. Pehkonen, nee Catherine Crowley of McCaulley.

Muriel Fields presided at the punch bowl assisted by Mrs. Coy Carriker.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Levi McCollum, Ted Abbott, George Maberry, Vera Jayroe, F. L. Rector, L. E. Rector and daughter, W. L. Griffin and daughters, Jeff Jones, H. N. Reed, J. S. Potts and daughter, George Darden, W. F. Richardson, Alexander and daughter, I. D. West, L. H. Milner, J. B. Rector, E. R. Rector, J. S. Faught, J. J. Crowley, T. B. Lightfoot, A. E. Crowley, C. R. Crowley, J. W. Stephens, N. L. Crowley, B. F. Ford, Clyde Bagwell and Nevalyn, G. W. Joplin, Roy Stephens, O. K. Hoyle, Bert Rushing, Edith Stephens, John E. Reed, Jerry Crowley, E. A. Pehkonen and C. H. Clark.

All Seven of Mrs. W. A. Rogers Children Meet

All seven of the children of Mrs. W. A. Rogers were present last weekend at her home in Northwest Hamlin for a family reunion. The gathering, the first time all the group had been together since 1928, was a happy one. Hours of pleasant conversation, games, songs and eating were spent by the group with the pioneer Hamlin resident.

Besides the immediate children at the reunion, 18 of the 23 grandchildren also were present, as well as husbands and wives of the seven children.

Enjoying the get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Seba Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Osie Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Williams and children of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Elmore and children of Hamlin, Mrs. Zora Craig of Springville, Tennessee, Mrs. Fay Miller and baby girl Reba, of Hardy, Arkansas.

MARRIED MONDAY



Mrs. Clifford R. Reynolds Jr., above, was Lois Ellen Stell before her marriage Monday noon at the home of the bride's parents. Both Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds have been residents of Hamlin. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Hamlin.

Stell-Reynolds Rites Said Monday at Noon

Lois Ellen Stell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stell, became the bride of Clifford R. Reynolds Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Reynolds Sr. of Hamlin, at 12:00 o'clock noon Monday at the home of the bride's parents. The immediate families of the couple attended.

Rev. Hnard E. East, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tulsa, read the double ring ceremony before an arrangement of greenery, white and blue flowers and candles. Lester Morton, accompanied by Mrs. Morton at the piano, sang "Because." Mrs. Morton furnished the wedding music.

The bride wore an original white French linen dress with pale blue shadow lace trim. She carried a white prayer book topped with a white orchid.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the Stell home. The dining room was decorated in blue and white.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School and North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, and for the past two years has been employed as a registered technologist in the Eighth Service Command laboratory at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio. Reynolds attended the University of Texas, Austin, and Baylor University, Waco, and served for two years with the Air Transport Command as an engineer.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Hamlin.

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Hilda Joyce Hubbard And W. D. Bristow Wed

On Sunday, August 11, Hilda Joyce Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard, will become the bride of W. D. Bristow Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bristow Sr. of Hamlin.

Rev. H. L. Bingham of Abilene will read the single ring ceremony at the home of the bride's aunt at Abilene.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home at Austin, where the two will attend Texas University.

McCaulley Women Set Picnic August 20

McCaulley Home Demonstration Club met in the Oliver Lee home last Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, when Mrs. Omar Prather president, presided.

After a recreational period led by Mrs. Rufus Herbst, the program on the theme, "Utilizing Space for Convenience and Attractiveness," in which some very unusual and attractive designs were displayed by Mrs. Roscoe Perryman.

Plans and time for the annual picnic were discussed, and it was decided to have the picnic August 20 at the McCaulley tabernacle. Each one is to bring a basket lunch.

The group was also reminded to remember the council display of home art August 6 in Roby.

A refreshment plate consisting of tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, stuffed olives, angel food cake and punch was served to Mmes. J. A. Jackson, Omar Prather, W. M. Fancher, W. H. Barton, Glen Henderson, Ray Maberry, Fred Hemphill, Rufus Herbst, Milo Gray, Carrol Lee, C. A. McHone and daughter, Charline Mustain, Roscoe Perryman, Frank Jackson, Louis Boyd and Hallie B. McFatter.

Mr. and Mrs. Duffield Smith, Duffield Jr. and Wade of Dallas were visiting in the H. O. Cassle home first of the week. Mr. Smith returned to Dallas Monday, but Mrs. Smith and the boys remained for a longer visit.

Sarah Kean Honored At Surprise Dinner

Mrs. W. C. Kean surprised her little daughter, Sarah, with a birthday dinner in the Kean home July 30.

Six little friends were present. Honored guests were Linda Elms and her mother of McCaulley.

After dinner ice cream and cake were served and a series of games were played by the group.

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FURLOUGH PAY BILL WOULD GIVE AREA GI'S GOOD BONUS

Hamlin area ex-service men this week were doing a little private figuring and "counting their chickens before they hatch" as they estimated amounts due them under the GI furlough pay bill that last week passed both houses of Congress in Washington.

Without waiting for President Truman to sign the bill, officials got busy this week on arrangements for paying some \$2,431,000,000 of terminal leave pay to an estimated 15,000,000 World War II enlisted men and women.

The government printing office began work on application forms which are expected to be ready in 10 days. They will be distributed to veterans through the post office probably before the month's end, army officials said.

COUNTY TREASURER



Gene Spurgin Jr. was elected Jones County treasurer in Saturday's voting when he polled a majority of 255 votes over the incumbent, Bill Armstrong. Unofficial vote count was 2,394 for Spurgin and 2,139 for Armstrong.

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McCRARY REPORTS ON INTERNATIONAL LIONS CONVENTION

Dr. J. W. McCrary gave a report of the Lions International convention held recently at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club at the Morgan Hotel. McCrary was a delegate from the local civic group to the annual convention.

More than 8,000 delegates were registered at the Quaker City session, McCrary reported, and attendance at some meetings reached 25,000 during the four-day confab.

An outstanding program of entertainment and educational features made the convention the greatest in the history of Lionism, the doctor told the club. International Lions Club Secretary Melvin Jones, a former Texan and founder of the service club, reported to the convention that more than 5,400 Lions Clubs are now registered with international headquarters, numbering 278,116 members in 18 countries. Gain of 60,932 members was reported during the last fiscal year, Jones said. The more than quarter of a million members makes the Lions Club the largest service organization in the world, McCrary stated.

Ladies' night will feature next Tuesday's Lions Club meeting, it was announced by President Delma Shelburne, when Lions and their ladies and guests gather at Moore Lake, west of town, at 8:00 o'clock for a chicken barbecue. Committees for the outing were named by Shelburne as follows: Food—Joe Culbertson, Gordon Bennett, Henry Albritton, Claud Lancaster and LaFoy Patterson; program—W. C. Russell, Don Gould and W. L. Boyd Jr.; arrangements—A. Spencer, Fred Smith, Burl Bunkley, Harold Bonner and Teddy Russell.

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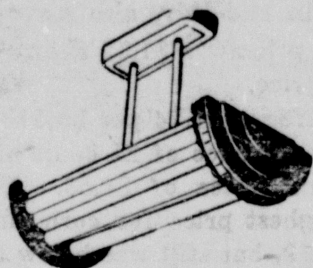
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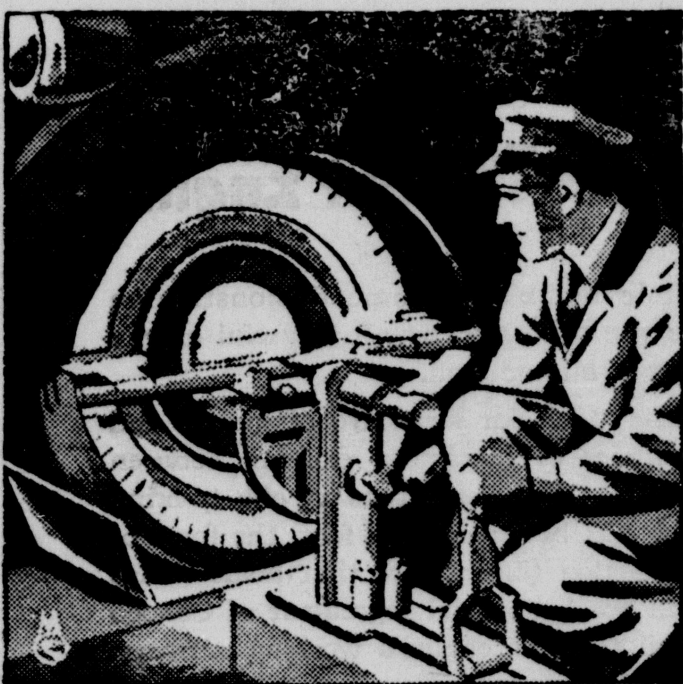
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District Gives Bill Blanton Big Lead Over Opponents

HUGE MAJORITY FOR BILL IN SHACKELFORD COUNTY

Of the 12 counties comprising the 17th Congressional District, Shackelford has the least number of votes, but it piled up for Bill the biggest percentage majority any candidate received in his home county. The two run-off candidates received the following votes in Shackelford County:

	City Hall	Courthouse	Ft. Griffin	Moran	Post Oak	Rockhill	Berryhill	Hastings	Sedwick	Izox	TOTAL
BLANTON	448	355	29	158	27	19	32	26	28	14	1,136
BURLESON	12	12	0	28	13	1	1	10	0	2	80

Thus in Shackelford County only 80 persons preferred Burleson as their Representative.

THREE-FOURTHS OF COUNTIES IN DISTRICT PREFERRED BILL BLANTON OVER BURLESON

In nine counties out of the 12 in the District, voters preferred Bill Blanton over Omar Burleson, by the following certified official returns:

	Shackelford	Stephens	Callahan	Comanche	Eastland	Deaf	Fisher	Hamilton	Palo Pinto
BILL BLANTON	1,136	449	829	1,104	1,500	900	682	709	858
OMAR BURLESON	80	84	453	480	1,401	716	459	263	359

ALL 12 COUNTIES GAVE 10,167 VOTES TO BILL BLANTON
ALL 12 COUNTIES GAVE 8,521 VOTES TO OMAR BURLESON

Bill is going to increase that big lead to a bigger majority in the second primary.

His platform contains no generalities, which never produce anything for the people, but offers specific remedies for existing evils. Bill already knows Congress and Washington, knows congressional procedure, is a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, knows many Congressmen and Senators (although he has never been on the Government pay roll except as an enlisted man in the Army), and he will be able to get desirable committee assignments. He will know how to get prompt attention and favorable action for his constituents relating to their many business affairs with the Government.

(Pol Adv. paid for by John H. McGaughey and other Albany friends)

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BUSINESS ALREADY IS SETTLING DOWN

Indications from the daily press and from local merchants is that business is already settling down in most retail lines to simpler buying. As stocks of critical goods become more available, people realize that much of their raving and ranting for those goods were superficial.

Reminds us of that old saw, "After you get what you want you don't want it." Especially is that attitude prevalent in the larger cities. We have always contended that folks in the smaller towns are more level-headed, less constrained to become riotous, and more prone to buy what they need rather than what they want.

Such a stable buying in towns like Hamlin will help stem tendency of the American people to cause inflation. Folks who operate on that principle will be less apt to "get hurt" by any occurrence of a so-called depression.

And, after all, careful buying is good for the merchant as well as the purchaser. He can gauge his purchases on the same principles.

PRACTICAL COURSES FOR AREA BOYS

Expanded facilities now being arranged at the Hamlin High School for the vocational agriculture department will provide enlarged opportunities for boys of the vicinity. About three score boys heretofore have been enrolled in the VA classes, in which limited courses were offered. In the future, beginning with the September term of school, more courses will be offered that will fit boys of the area for practical after-school living. More than \$2,000 worth of shop equipment has been received for the VA department, Instructor T. C. Blankinship announced recently.

Fitting boys for their life work is one of the purposes of schooling. When the men of the future can get actual shop training, working with animals, becoming familiar with soil conservation and building, then the change from school to farming, ranching and other vocations is not such a jump.

Since the Hamlin area is primarily an agricultural and ranching territory, improvements in the vocational agriculture department of our school system are "right down the alley" for our ment of the future.

IT TAKES TAX MONEY FOR PROGRESS

Our taxing agencies in Jones County are compiling their tax rolls for 1946 ad valorem payments. Substantial gains in tax rolls are reported all over the country. The gains are a natural consequence of increased values and new property being rendered.

Good citizens look upon the privilege of paying taxes that are just and right as their reasonable tribute to the taxing agencies, which will in turn provide schooling facilities, police protection, civic provisions and other to-be-expected purchases of the agencies. Tax money well invested causes no remorse by the payor.

Increased taxes in any community, school district, county or other tax subdivision usually is the price of progress. Decreasing tax rolls usually indicate that the unit is going backward instead of forward.

Which reminds us to observe again that now is the most opportune time in our history for back taxes to be cleaned up. Our city and schools and county and state should force payment of taxes by those who have deliberately chosen not to pay them. It is unfair for one man to have to pay his taxes, and the next door neighbor be allowed to go by year after year without paying.

ALL MUST GET USED TO NO SUBSIDY

Removal of OPA price restrictions on some items apparently will cause tremendous advances in many items, many of which already have been reflected in the Hamlin area. To be sure some increases probably are justified. The Herald believes prices will adjust themselves in some instances as the buying splurge subsides.

With removal of the price restrictions, subsidy payments on some items also were removed, most felt one being that of two cents per quart on consumer milk. The subsidy is being made up on milk by raising price of milk that amount.

Subsidies may have been necessary in a few instances during the war, but we have opposed such methods almost from the start. It has been a case of robbing Peter to pay Paul. Inequalities have been inevitable. As far as fairness is concerned, we believe everybody is entitled to a subsidy if anybody is. We may as well have paid the filling station operator a two-cents-per-gallon subsidy; paid the shoe cobblers 10-cents-per-shoe; paid the newspaper subsidy of 25-cents-per-subscription; paid the banker \$1-per-year-year on each account.

We must get used to doing business without government help. Let us support our government—not expect our government to support us.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

TAX INCREASE NOT THE ANSWER

The present national administration, according to Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder, may ask an increase in taxes on individuals and corporations "if prices get too far out of hand."

The idea is to take away some of the spending funds available to individuals and business in order to reduce the inflationary pressure.

We fail to see where it would be reasonable to increase taxation on individuals, many of whom will be hard hit by increased prices, in order to reduce buying power. Individuals on salaries and those with fixed incomes will suffer considerably if there is a sharp increase in prices and their predicament would be considerably aggravated by any measurable increase in taxation.

The secretary of the treasury is on firmer ground, however, when he suggests heavier taxes on corporations and business enterprises. If there is market inflation, there will be larger profits, and those who make them will be able to pay heavier taxes without suffering much.—The Sudan News.

FARM PRODUCTS IN PRICE CLIMB GROUP TOO LAST MONTH

Finished products were not the only things taking price advances, Hamlin area producers were realizing this week, as a report from the United States Department of Agriculture reported from Austin that prices of Texas farm products during the month ending July 15 advanced sharply.

Most spectacular price advances were for meat animals, feed grain crops and cotton with dairy and poultry products showing significant price upturns.

Texas beef cattle at \$14.80 per hundredweight in mid-July were at an all-time high and \$1.70 above the mid-June price, also an all-time high for that time. During World War I the price for Texas cattle of \$8.70 per hundredweight in June, 1918, was the peak for that period.

Calves averaged \$16.10 per hundredweight in mid-July, also a record high. The price was \$1.50 above the mid-June price.

Corn averaged \$1.74 per bushel on July 15, an advance of 21 cents over the mid-June price of \$1.53. This was the highest price for corn since August, 1919, but still was below the record of \$1.96 in March, 1918.

Cotton was averaging 30.4 cents per pound on July 15, or 4.3 cents above the average price a month earlier and nearly 10 cents above the price a year ago. During World War I, cotton reached a peak of 36.2 cents in March, 1920.

Bob Harden on Way to Air Service in Alaska

Private First Class R. W. (Bob) Harden of Hamlin, was among a group of 210 volunteers from the famed 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment of the 82nd Airborne Division, who left Fort Bragg, North Carolina, on July 23 to join Task Force Frigid in California, where they will spend six weeks taking advanced training prior to their departure for Ladd Field, Alaska.

Purpose of Task Force Frigid will be to test Army equipment and airborne tactics in sub-zero temperatures.

Highway Engineer S. J. Treadway Gets Award

S. J. Treadway, district highway engineer for 12 counties with headquarters in Abilene, was one of the Texas Highway Department employees to receive a 25-year service pin in Austin last week.

Treadway, well known in the Hamlin section, is a frequent visitor here. Jones County is in his district. He has been in this district since 1938.

The Texas Highway Commission made the presentation to veteran employees at the ceremony in the commission's hearing room. Chairman John S. Redditt made a speech of commendation for the work of the honorees.

Time tells on a man—and especially a good time.

MEXICO GOODWILLER



Pretty ambassador of goodwill to the Coahuila, Mexico, governor's Black and White Ball August 3 was Ann Greer of Dallas, student at Texas State College for Women's Saltillo summer school. An outstanding event in Saltillo's social life, the ball is given annually by the governor in the Saltillo Casino.

PAY FOR TERMINAL LEAVE TO ENLISTED MEN IS APPROVED

According to news releases this week from Washington, the Senate last week passed legislation granting an estimated \$2,000,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000 in terminal leave pay to enlisted men in the armed forces and those already discharged.

The Senate is reported to have approved the measure and returned it to the House, which had passed a similar bill unanimously. Under the latest plan enlisted men now discharged would receive compensation up to 12 days pay on the basis of two and one-half days leave for each month of service.

The Senate provided for making the bulk of the payments in interest bearing, non-transferable bonds instead of cash. Hamlin area discharged enlisted men will welcome the pay, and no doubt in receiving the bonds will have a feeling of security in knowing that now they have Washington "brass hats" looking after them in seeing that they "save and lay away cash for a rainy day."

Officers have been entitled to cash terminal leave pay.

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Thanks, Friends-

I want to take this method of thanking the good people of the Hamlin community for a splendid patronage during the past two years I have operated the Vogue Beauty Salon. I have this week sold my interest in the

Vogue Beauty Salon

to Mrs. Fern Barnett, well known beauty operator of this community, who will continue to operate the business under the same name at the same location. I heartily recommend Mrs. Barnett to my former patrons, and invite new friends into the shop.

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ENTOMOLOGISTS TO AID IN CONCERTED DRIVE ON INSECTS

Alarmed over indication for the first boll weevil infestation in 25 years, entomologists for the United States Department of Agriculture and the Texas A. & M. College have launched a concerted program of education and are supplying suggested remedial measures to assist cotton farmers of the Hamlin section and the rest of the state in saving the 1946 crop.

Information on boll weevil, fleaopper, leaf worm and other insect infestation will be released to the press and public each Tuesday from the Texas A. & M. College under the general heading, "Cotton Insect Situation in Texas."

Each week the report will suggest a program of remedial measures based upon the concentration of insects determined by these state-wide surveys, and a constant check of the effectiveness of control measures tried out.

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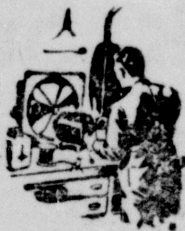
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BITS OF NEWS ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd visited with Mr. Boyd's sister at Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Preston and son of Abilene spent last week-end at Hamlin.

Just Unloaded — Carload of red pickets; also car siding. — Paul Bryan Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Simmons were visitors with relatives and friends at Fort Worth first part of the week.

Lovena and Oleta Kite returned Friday from a two-week vacation with their sister, LaRue, at Smithville.

Mrs. S. G. Carruth of Port Arthur is in Hamlin visiting her mother, Mrs. Etta Stephenson, and her sister, Mrs. Virgil Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkerson and daughter of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Wisheit Saturday night.

Charles Lynn Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewer of McCamey, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker Jr. of Gladewater have been guests of Mrs. Baker's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Richey, for the past week.

Mrs. B. A. Shaffer and son, Sherrod, returned Friday from San Saba and Brownwood, where they have been visiting for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Elmore and son, Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter, Mary Louise, left Friday for Arizona for a 10-day vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooks Thompson of Dayton are spending three weeks with friends in and near Hamlin. Thompson formerly was with General Crude located at Hamlin.

Mrs. L. J. Harbison of Youngstown, Ohio, has been visiting in the H. O. Cassle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carpenter of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Branscum over the week-end.

Glen Belew of Abilene is here for a several-day visit with Sammy Frank Vaughan, and to catch up on his fishing at Hamlin lakes.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford and children left first of the week for California, where they will visit with relatives and friends for several days.

Visitors last week in the home of R. L. Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blakely of Hardin, Montana. Mrs. Blakely is a niece of the late Mrs. R. L. Harris.

Mrs. R. L. Kite reported this week that her sister, Mrs. L. Jamerson, who underwent major surgery at the Stephenville General Hospital last week, is doing nicely.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell were Mrs. I. B. Brown of Alva, Oklahoma, Mrs. R. S. Vonnahme of East St. Louis, Illinois, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Criswell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Travis and daughter, Ida Belle, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess D. Richey of Muenster visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Lucy Williams of Vallejo, California, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Holland. She has returned home to her son, Cooper Williams, who underwent a major operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Carlan returned home Tuesday, July 23, from a 10-day vacation in East Texas at Pittsburg, where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. Leonard Reynolds. They also visited with another daughter, Mrs. Tilton Powell, at Greenville.

Chief Radioman Carl D. Andress and Mrs. Andress arrived Sunday from Moffett Field, California, for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Andress and Dr. and Mrs. Paul A. Fowler. Chief Andress is en route to a naval training school at Banana River, Florida.

Clonelle Harris of Dallas is visiting in the home of her father, R. L. Harris.

Just Unloaded — Carload of red pickets; also car siding. — Paul Bryan Lumber Company.

Doris Jean Travis left Sunday for Muenster and Gainesville to visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle Jr. and son, Freddie, of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors with relatives in Hamlin.

Worn out paper money is sent by the banks to the Treasury Department, where it is macerated. Banks receive new bills to replace the ones sent in.

Washington must have had a wonderful memory for people to build a monument to it.

She isn't a dumb girl if she turns a deaf ear to a blind date.

Gene Spurgin Jr. Says Thanks for Good Vote

To the People of Jones County:

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the splendid support that you gave me in the past primary.

For the confidence you have placed in me I promise that my undivided attention shall be given to the duties and responsibilities of the office and my best efforts put forth in the service of you at all times. — Gene Spurgin Jr.

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CARNATION MILK	From Contented Cows Large Can.....	29c
CANE SYRUP	Pure and Wholesome, 3 Pint Cans.....	25c
PEANUT BUTTER	Armour's Star, Full Quart.....	52c
MUSTARD GREENS	Very Best, No. 2 Can.....	12c
SYRUP PEPSIN	Caldwell's, Regular 50c Cottle.....	49c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER	Two 10c Can.....	15c
GALLON PEACHES	Water Pack, \$1.00 Size.....	93c



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McCAULLEY, VFW IN TIE FOR TOP LOOP IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE

It's a neck-and-neck fight for top rung spot in the Hamlin Softball League nowadays, with McCauley and the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the stellar roles. Both teams, with 13 games behind them, maintain an average of .770, having each won 10 tilts. The Oilers, last week in fifth place, climbed to third spot in the standings.

Most of the nine-member teams in the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored league had only two more games on their league schedule, the regular schedule ending with games Friday night of next week. A play-off under the Shaughnessy plan will be staged between the four top teams at the close of the regular season.

Games since last week's report in The Herald follow:

Thursday—Oilers 6, Flat Top 4; Celotex 12, Yellowjackets 2.
Friday—Yellowjackets 1, Flat Top 11; Celotex 9, Jaycees 3.
Monday—VFW 8, Celotex 1; McCauley 13, Fire Boys 1.

League standings, including Tuesday night's games, follow:

Team—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
McCauley	13	10	3	.770
V. F. W.	13	10	3	.770
Oilers	12	9	3	.747
Jaycees	13	9	4	.693
Celotex	13	8	5	.611
Flat Top	13	4	9	.308
Radium	12	3	9	.249
Fire Boys	12	2	10	.166
Yellowjackets	13	1	12	.077

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NEW COUNTY JUDGE



New county judge of Jones County will be Roger Q. Garrett Jr., who Saturday polled a majority of 238 over his two opponents, Joel V. Grimes of Stamford and W. H. Eyssen Jr. of Hamlin. He will succeed Gilbert Smith, who did not make the race for reelection.

Teague Thanks Voters For Legislature Election

To the Voters of Jones County:
I wish to sincerely thank the voters of Jones County for the splendid support given me in my campaign for state representative, and for the large vote which I received in Saturday's primary.

It will be my purpose to serve you to the best of my ability. I will be glad to hear from anyone in regard to any legislation or other matters in which I may be of service to you.

Also I want to express my appreciation to those who spoke a good word in my behalf. Your assistance was very valuable and sincerely appreciated.

Gratefully yours—Wm. B. Teague.

Jefferson's portrait appears on the two-dollar bill.

There is no silver in the U. S. five-cent piece. It consists of 75 per cent copper and 25 per cent nickel.

FOOTBALL FIELD GETS SOAKING FOR GRASSY TURF LIFE

Football field at Pied Piper Stadium in Southwest Hamlin was this week getting a good soaking that put new life into the Bermuda grass blanket on the field, in preparation for the football season for the Hamlin High School charges this fall.

Water was being put through old water mains from the Moore Lake, mile west of town, to provide irrigation for the stadium grass that has gone all year so far without watering. The water was not going through regular mains, and is not being filtered inasmuch as the chlorination process is unnecessary except when the water is used for human consumption.

Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson declared this week that the field will be given several soakings within the next several days that should put the grass in good condition by the time scrimmage is started by Coach L. B. Howard's Pied Piper charges.

Water main leading from the lake to the city pump station runs within 150 feet of the stadium, so the extension to the ball field was only a matter of eight or 10 sections of two-inch pipe being added to the mains.

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MATCHES, True American, 2 Boxes. . . . 5c
BAKING POWDER, K. C., 10c Can. 5c
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Revival Underway This Week at Neinda Church

Revival services that started Wednesday of this week at Neinda Methodist Church are being conducted by Rev. A. B. Armstrong, pastor of the Sylvester Methodist Church, according to Rev. W. F. Richardson, pastor of the McCauley Circuit.

Services are being conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. each day, and will continue through August 18. The general public is invited to attend the series of meetings.

Mrs. Spraberry Thanks County People for Vote

I wish to thank the people of this county for their support and vote on July 27. Although I was defeated I received a nice vote, and I am indeed thankful to my many friends. Not only do I thank you for your support in this election, but want to thank you for the many kindnesses you have extended me in past years.

I have enjoyed serving you as your county clerk, and have tried very hard to serve you to the best of my ability.—Mrs. Oma Spraberry. 1c

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones returned tuesday from Lufkin, where they d visited for the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newhouse have ught the new residence belonging Joe Smith in North Sylvester and ve moved into it.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dickerson are uproving the place they bought om Henry Hulsey and will soon ake their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hood and Tom-y returned Tuesday from Michigan, here they visited Mrs. Hood's par-ts.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mauldin and ildren left Wednesday on their ication.

Mrs. Jack Pursley is visiting in the W. Pursley home this week.

Dorothy Lee Beard of Abilene ent the week-end at home with her other, Mrs. Bob Beard.

Rev. W. C. Devers, pastor of the aptist Church, is conducting a re-val at Pledger.

Rev. A. B. Armstrong, pastor of ie Methodist Church, is at Neinda is week in a revival.

Breezy Cox visited at Stamford ver the week-end.

Paul Turner was in Abilene Friday tending the auction sale.

Mary Ann King spent several days ne past week at Rotan with rela-es, returning home Sunday after-on.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Pursley of Roby pent Sunday evening with Mrs. W. Pursley.

Mrs. George Hood has gone to California to be with her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Carrol, who is ill of pneumonia.

Jo Ann Montgomery of Abilene spent the week-end at home.

Bennie Ruth Bell of Abilene visit-ed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawlis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards over the week-end. They all went Sunday to the Sweet-water park to the Edwards family reunion. Billie Jo Jackson has been visiting here the past two weeks and will return home with her parents.

Mrs. Nannie Mitchell returned last Thursday from a two-week visit to Noodle with her daughter, Mrs. Ben-nie Anderson, and Mr. Anderson.

Landon Perkins was visiting at Comanche several days last week.

Sergeant and Mrs. Morris Roque-more have returned to El Paso, where Sergeant Roquemore is stationed.

Mrs. A. D. Williams is improving. She has been moved from the Rotan Hospital to the home of her daugh-ter, Mrs. LaMont Haley, in Rotan.

The Church of Christ revival is in progress at the tabernacle.

Burton Lee Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones, returned home last Friday from the Navy. He received his discharge August 1 after serving almost two years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Perkins are announcing the birth of a daughter at the Rotan Hospital on Sunday, August 4.

Mrs. S. J. Fletcher and grand-daughter, Lydia Jo Alcorn of San Angelo, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards.

Mrs. Baldwin of Sherman, sister of Mrs. J. H. Lawlis, has been visit-ing here recently.

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FINAL TABULATION
GIVES BURLESON 94
LEAD OVER MILES

In final tabulations of official votes from the 17th Congressional District made Saturday, Omar Burleson of Anson definitely will go into the run-off for the seat vacated by Sam Russell of Stephenville August 24 against William W. (Bill) Blanton of Albany.

Results of the July 27 balloting were hanging in the balance from that time, with various estimates being placed on the Burleson- Ted Miles race for second place.

On the basis of complete and official returns from Democratic chair-man in all 12 counties of the district, Burleson held a 94-vote lead over Ted Miles of Stamford. The final totals were Burleson 8,521, Miles 8,427. Blanton led with 10,167.

Trailing Miles 518 votes was Robert Herring of Breckenridge, with 7,909. Others, in order of their rank, were J. Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, fifth, 6,904; R. M. Wagstaff, sixth, 5,392; Gib Sandefer of Abilene, seventh, 4,921; and Mrs. Nina J. Headrick, Sweetwater, eighth, 2,609.

There was a total of 54,910 votes polled. It was one of the closest races ever seen in the district, and produced the largest field in recent years.

In Anson, Burleson and his suppor-ters quickly announced plans for a vigorous run-off campaign.

E. W. Hendrick, campaign man-ager, announced a mass meeting for Monday night at the district court-room in Anson, for the purpose of organizing Jones County. He said district headquarters have been set up in the Woman's Club building on South Commercial Street. John C. Thompson of Noodle has volunteered as chairman at that office.

Burleson issued this statement: "Now that the official count of votes has definitely placed me in the run-off for Congress, I am ready to continue a most thorough and vigorous campaign. Mrs. Burleson and I will attempt to stump the entire district in an effort to meet and speak to as many people as possible. The time is short and we expect to utilize every minute in taking this campaign to every community."

McLaughlin Infant Buried.

Funeral was held Friday morning at Clyde for the infant son of Mr and Mrs. H. P. McLaughlin of Ham-lin, who was born Thursday at Hen-drick Memorial hospital and died the same day. Mr. McLaughlin resigned recently as principal of Hamlin High School.

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NEW COUNTY CLERK



H. O. (Herb) Rowland Jr., above, will take office next Jan-uary 1 as county clerk by virtue of his defeat of Mrs. Oma Spra-berry, present clerk, in Satur-day's primary election. Rowland polled 2,429 votes to Mrs. Spra-berry's 2,156.

Thanks Expressed by
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I wish to sincerely thank the vot-ers of Jones County for the splendid support given me in my campaign for county clerk.

It is my earnest desire to serve you efficiently and to the best of my ability and it will be toward this goal that I shall strive.

Again, I am indeed grateful for the honor you have given me and in this way I would like to express my gratitude to each of you individu-ally, "Thanks a million!"

Sincerely—H. C. (Herb) Row-land Jr

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FOR SALE at a Bargain—1935 V-8 Ford. See Clarence L. Garrett, five miles southeast Hamlin. 1p

FOR SALE—One and one-half or two lots close to grammar school. See Frank Williams. 1p

FOR SALE—McCormick-Deering row binder. See E. C. Davis, 10 miles northeast of Hamlin. 38-2p

FOR SALE—Nice Golden Jubilee peaches at my place three miles east, quarter of mile north of Rotan; \$2 per bushel.—Dallas Neal. 39-2p

FOR SALE—Cabinet radio.—Mae James, phone 440-W. 1p

FOR SALE—One porcelain top kitch-en table; one set table and two benches for breakfast nook or kitch-en, pre-war ponderosa pine, enamel-ed blue with ivory trim.—Mrs. Don Gould. 1c

RANCHMEN! STOCKMEN! We have all sizes Ranchmaster U. S. D. A. No. 62 screw worm smear.—Waggon-er Drug, Bryant-Link Company. tfc

TERRACING AND PLOWING want-ed—I do terracing at government rate of pay; also run terrace lines and make terrace fills; will do your one-way plowing and subsoiling. Tele-phone me at Tuxedo.—Oran Brig-ham, Tuxedo, Texas. 38-tfc

Miscellaneous

HAMLIN CHAPTER No. 310 R. A. M. meets every fourth Thursday night.—W. T. Johnson, H. P.; C. C. Bailey, Secretary. 21-tfc

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks to the good people of Mc-Caulley, Imperial and Hamlin for the beautiful floral offerings and for their kind expressions of sympathy when our beloved mother and grand-mother, Mrs. Eva Parker, passed away. God alone can bless you with such loyal friends as He has blessed us.—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Akins and Children, Mrs. W. H. Parker and Family. 1p

Business Services

CITY LOANS—Cheap interest, pay-ments monthly; for buying, repair-ing or building new homes or busi-ness buildings; fair appraisal; prompt service.—H. O. Cassle, over F. & M. Bank, Hamlin, Texas. 36-tfc

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Milton Fletcher Back
With Discharge from
Three Years in Navy

Ensign Milton B. Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher Jr. of Hamlin, returned home last week. He was discharged at San Francisco, California, on July 18 after three years and 18 days in the Navy.

Milton finished Hamlin High School in 1942, went to Abilene Christian College for one year, then enlisted in the Naval Reserve and received his V-12 training at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth. He was commissioned at Notre Dame Midshipmen's School in October, 1944 He was then assigned to LST 871 on which ship he served until re-l eased from duty.

Most of his foreign service was in the Asiatic-Pacific theater. He was in the Okinawa campaign and was at Siapan on V-J Day. His last assign-ment was with Rear Admiral Blandy's task force at Bikini in the atomic bomb experiments. Milton has a letter of commendation for outstand-ing work done by his ship at that time. Young Fletcher has been com-manding officer of his ship for sev-eral months, and was one of the youngest skippers in the Navy on craft of that size.

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Miscellaneous

WANTED—Hauling, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, telephone 166-J. 23-tfc

WANTED—Clean rags; no khaki.—Carmichael Tractor Company. 29-tfc

WANTED—Paint jobs, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, phone 166-J. 23-tfc

POULTRY RAISERS—Quick-Rid for coccidiosis, worms, germs and poul-try diseases; feed it to baby chicks and laying hens. 19-tfc

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—House or apartment.—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Daniel, phone 296. 1c

Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Two five-room houses west of bank.—J. F. Maberry, Mc-Caulley, Texas. 1p

FOR SALE—Near Hamlin, five-room house and barn covered with cor-rugated iron.—George O. Harrell, Box 769, Anson, Texas. 39-3p

FOR SALE—160-acre farm; 100 acres in cultivation; located seven miles south of McCaulley; would like to buy or trade for home in Hamlin or Rotan; also four good Jersey cows with calves. Mailing address: E. A. Allison, Box 176, Mc-Caulley. 1p

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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

The Democratic county convention met at the Fisher County capital in the courthouse last Saturday morning. Resolutions, six in all, were read and approved by the delegates. Seven delegates were elected to represent Fisher County at the state convention in Dallas on September 10. Resolution No. 6 offered at the convention caused quite a heated discussion between County Judge Formway, County Chairman Neely Morton and Cecil Lotief of Rotan, Formway and Morton opposing the resolution and Lotief fighting for adoption. The resolution was adopted by a majority on a standing vote. S. E. Miers was nominated as a delegate to the state convention from McCauley, and alternates are Levi McCollum and George Darden. Mr. Chorn of Rotan was made permanent chairman of the county convention and Melvin Hunter elected as permanent secretary. Delegates from all parts of the county attended and all enjoyed a "spirited" convention—less hair pulling, name calling, etc. No doubt but what the state convention at Dallas will be filled with thrills and possibly spills. After all, it's our American way of doing things—in a great country and a great people.

It's the same old crowd that is fighting Rainey, namely Coke the fence straddler, John Lee Smith, the Texas Regular, and Senator Pappy, the Kansas Republican and old folks' persecutor.

Patrons of the McCauley post office who desire to take the civil service examination for the job as postmaster at McCauley may make

application at the post office in McCauley for necessary blanks. All applications must be in Washington by August 28. Only patrons of the McCauley post office are permitted to take the examinations for the job.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith and daughter, Gennell, of Rotan were Sunday visitors in the home of the George Dardens. Gennell is spending the week with Margaret Darden.

Mrs. Lawrence Brewer has gone to Chandler, Arizona, to visit her husband, who is stationed there at Williams Field.

R. L. Miers and L. H. Boyd attended the Burleson-for-Congress rally at Anson Monday night.

The man who Potshots this column was elected justice of the peace of precinct No. 2 in a write-in campaign on July 27. Didn't ask for the job, didn't want the job—but if the folks want a "marrying justice," suppose we won't disappoint 'em.

The annual summer revival began at the McCauley Baptist Church last Sunday and will continue through two weeks with Evangelist Dr. W. Y. Pond of Waco doing the preaching. You are invited.

From letters and from other good sources from subscribers of The Herald is one reason we so often express our frank political views. The people want it—and the name of the column, remember, is "Pot-Shots."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hopkins of Abilene visited last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wishert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin and children of Ropes are visiting this week in the Hennington homes.

Visiting from Fort Worth over the week-end in the home of relatives in McCauley and Sylvester were Mrs. Charlie Eivens and twin daughters and son, Linnie, and Sherry Eivens. Word comes to us that Mrs. George Martin, who is undergoing treatment at Fort Worth, is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Frank Maberry is still in a serious condition in a Rotan hospital.

Dry weather continues in all West Texas. Early maize is being harvested, the yield being from 200 to

1,500 pounds per acre in this immediate vicinity. Fat cattle still are bringing good prices, but poor and medium cattle are not so hot.

Lewis Boyd and Rufus Herbst purchased a truckload of alfalfa hay last week from Plainview.

Thanks to M. L. Akins of Imperial for a year's subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton and Mr. Caffey, superintendent of Imperial Schools, were McCauley visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Weatherly and son of Rotan were Friday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boyd.

Mary Ann McCollum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum, is vacationing down in Florida and Alabama for a few weeks.

Thanks to S. E. Miers for a year's subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

A former McCauley boy, Hugh Anderson, was elected sheriff at Borger in the July primary. Old-timers will remember the Anderson family. And, thanks you Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Borger for mailing us this information.

Mrs. Eva Parker, 78 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Akins, at Imperial Wednesday

of last week. Born October 10, 1868 near New Albany, Mississippi, Mrs. Parker is survived by one daughter, Mrs. M. L. Akins of Imperial; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Parker of Hamlin; 22 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held last Thursday at McCauley Baptist Church with Rev. Johnny Price of Loraine and former Methodist pastor at McCauley conducting the services, assisted by Rev. W. F. Richardson of the McCauley Methodist Church, and Rev. C. E. Dick, Baptist pastor. For many years Grandmother Parker was a resident of this community, and was loved and respected by all who knew her. Burial was in the McCauley Cemetery under direction of Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin.

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Frankfurters Skinless Lb. **49¢**

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Maize Crop Playing Out With Drouth

TOTAL OF 12 CARS OF GRAIN SHIPPED AS PRODUCERS SEE MOST OF CROP FADING

In spite of continued hot and dry weather that is almost precluding much of a maize crop in the Hamlin area, eight more cars of the head grains had been shipped this week by Hamlin buyers to make the season's total 12. Three more cars had been shipped from Tuxedo for a season total of seven from that point, eight miles east of Hamlin.

Price for the vital grain maintained a high level here. Buyers were quoting a price of \$2.55 per 100 pounds on the market here Wednesday.

Last year's shipments of combine maize from Hamlin was 197 cars. This year's acreage was upped considerably from last season's and early indications were that producers of the area would "hit the jackpot." Then a rainless July came along after only spasmodic showers fell during the month of June—and there went the rosy prospects that farmers of the section had nurtured along.

The hundreds of acres planted to maize this year in the Hamlin area still would yield some feed in most instances if rains came within the next few days, but producers and others are already singing the swan song over much of the crop as far as grain production is concerned.

Farmers are planning to resurrect some feed value from the stalks, but hesitate to cut the stalks before they begin to burn up in the hope that rains will come.

Average maize is from two to three feet high, with heads in the stage of forming.

TWO NEW ROTARY MEMBERS NAMED AT CLUB LUNCHEON

Two additions to the roll of the Hamlin Rotary Club were reported Wednesday at noon when the civic group met at the Morgan Hotel in regular weekly luncheon. Bobby Watson, new Hamlin district manager for Lone Star Gas Company, is a transfer Rotarian, and W. R. Wilkerson, retail grocer, was proposed as a new member.

W. F. Martin Jr., program committee chairman, acted as pinch-hitter entertainer when his arranged program failed to materialize. He reviewed in typical barrister fashion the immortal oration of the lawyer's pleading of breach of promise case by Mrs. Bardell against Mr. Pickwick taken from Charles Dickens' book, "Pickwick Papers."

Guests at the Wednesday Rotary luncheon were C. C. Chenoweth and son, Cecil Chenoweth, of Abilene and John Simmons of Sweetwater.

Algae Flavor in Water In City Being Remedied

Algae (flavor of moss to most of us country folks) gave the Hamlin city water supply a "creaky" taste over the week-end because of conditions at the new city lake, source of Hamlin's water.

However, shortly after the taste was detected by City Water Superintendent W. G. Rountree, the mal-taste was remedied, and mains were being emptied of the algae water by users.

Rountree explained to The Herald that it requires several days to empty the mains of millions of gallons of water in the lines between the lake and in the city mains.

Grass Fire at Oil Mill.

Hamlin Fire Department made a run to the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill Saturday afternoon at 5:10 o'clock when grass threatened some mill buildings. A trash burner was blown over by a whirlwind and grass was caught from the burning trash. No damage was done.

SOME DRY MONTH!

July was so dry most folks just blew out a little dust when they tried to whistle.

This is the report of W. G. Rountree, official government weather gauger for Hamlin. He charted only .27 of an inch of rain on July 3—and this was .27 of an inch more than he received at his home, nine blocks northwest of the water pump station where the government gauge is located.

Last month was the driest July old-timers can remember. Such reports are being recorded from many other sections of the country.

CONSUMPTION OF CITY WATER IN JULY SETS ALL TIME HIGH

Water consumption by users in the City of Hamlin reached an all time high of 19,068,700 gallons for the month of July, figures released this week by the city water department revealed. Highest previous consumption by city users was 13,000,000 in August, 1945. Last July's gallonage totaled 9,240,600.

City Secretary Mrs. Clinton Barrow stated Wednesday that 835 water connections were billed in July, a record number in the history of the city waterworks. This was a gain of 114 over last July's 721 connections.

Numbers of others have made applications for service, and several will be added during the month, according to City Water Superintendent W. G. Rountree.

Shortage of water pipe has held down the number of potential connections, city authorities explained this week.

Many new business concerns and residences have accounted for most of the 15 per cent gain recorded during the past 12 months.

With installation of additional pumping and water processing facilities by the city as soon as equipment is available will permit the water department to care for normal growth of this booming little metropolis.

Rev. Yeats Preaches at Early Elbert Pastorate

Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the Hamlin Methodist Church, returned Monday from Elbert, Throckmorton County, where he closed a one-week revival meeting for the Methodist Church. Fifteen professions of faith and one addition by certificate were reported by church officials as result of the meeting.

Rev. Yeats was pastor of the Elbert church about 25 years ago. This was his first return to his early pastorate.

Eyssen and Culbertson Named Demo Delegates

Two Hamlin men were named as Jones County delegates to the state Democratic party convention when the county Democratic convention was held last Saturday at Anson. They are Joe Culbertson and W. H. (Bill) Eyssen Jr. Other delegates named are Lee McCaleb and Clarence Johnson of Anson. R. J. Barrett and T. O. Rowland were named alternates.

The delegates were instructed to vote for the Democratic nominee for governor at the Dallas convention. The county convention was a quiet affair.

Swenson Softballers to Play Oilers Friday Night

Swenson softball team will furnish the competition for the Hamlin Oilers Friday evening at the city ball park, it was announced Wednesday. The Radium nine, slated for the tilt with the Oilers, cannot attend because of a revival meeting being conducted in the community to the south.

Albany softball girls' team will play a return game with the Hamlin girls Saturday evening at the park. The locals defeated the Shackelford County team at Albany last Thursday evening by a 25 to 11 score.

City Taxable Values Go to New Height

NEW PROPERTY ACCOUNTS FOR MOST OF GROWTH—OWNERS MAY PROTEST RAISES

Net raise of several thousands of dollars in property tax valuations of the City of Hamlin for 1946 is expected by city officials. In checking over the renditions rolls now being compiled for tax purposes by the city secretary's office much new property has been listed, and more than 100 valuations rendered by citizens of the city have been raised.

About 200 postal cards were mailed to Hamlin property owners by the city secretary's office last week to advise them that their tax renditions for 1946 had been raised or lowered by the board of equalization for the City of Hamlin.

Hearings of citizens will be conducted by the board of equalization on August 12 and 14, next Monday and Wednesday, it is announced by Mrs. Clinton Barrow, city secretary. Property wishing to protest the rendition equalization suggested by the board may appear at that time, it is announced.

After the hearings, the tax rolls will then be tabulated and statements mailed to property owners. Taxes may be paid on October 1, and will become delinquent January 1, 1947.

Foundation Completed On New VA Structure For Hamlin Schools

Piers, footings and foundations of concrete had been completed on the new vocational agriculture building on the Hamlin High School grounds this week, it was reported by T. C. Blankinship, VA teacher. Walls of the new structure are slated to start up next week. Walls will be of concrete tile.

Steel framework and roof trusses for the new additional to the Hamlin Schools system of buildings was completed Wednesday.

The new structure will furnish three additional stalls for busses to be operated by the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District. The new building adjoins the present bus garage on the east end. It is scheduled to be completed by the time school opens in September.

Thomas Penny Enlists In Army for 18 Months

Thomas Penny Jr. last week volunteered for the regular Army for a period of 18 months, according to an Army release to The Herald.

Prior to his enlistment in the Army Penny was a farmer. His wife is Eunice Evelyn Penny of Route 4, Hamlin.

VOCATIONAL CLASSES FOR VETERANS OF HAMLIN SLATED UNDER GI TRAINING PLAN

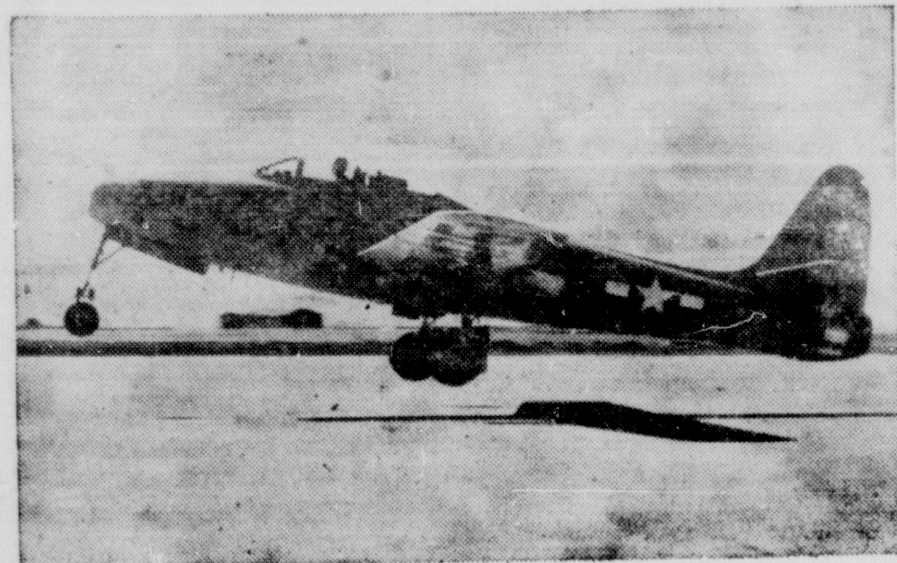
Establishment of veterans' vocational training classes in a school at Hamlin was being undertaken this week by a group of ex-service men cooperating with James W. Love, coordinator for Jones County.

Enrollment of at least 20 veterans right away was expected by the unit, in order to get classes in the proposed school started by August 15.

Purpose of the school, as outlined by the locals, is to assist veterans to establish or reestablish themselves in gainful vocational pursuit in accordance with the educational opportunities of the G. I. Bill of Rights; and to establish these vocational opportunities for those veterans who desire to remain in their present communities and who do not desire to enroll in established schools outside of their own community.

A class will be started in Hamlin when as many as 20 vets who have their certificates of eligibility sign up to attend one class. Courses will be offered in agriculture, distributive education, and trade and indus-

NEW JET PLANE FLIES 600 MILES PER HOUR



The streamlined post-war Army Air Forces sports a powerful new fighter. Built by the Republic Aviation Corporation, the jet-propelled P-84 approaches a speed of 600 miles an hour, has a range of 1,000 miles, and a

service ceiling of more than 40,000 feet. The Herald publisher recently viewed a P-84 in a Houston air show. In flight, the sound of the plane was about a mile behind the plane flying 10 miles a minute.

GIRLS' TEAM GOES TO STATE SOFTBALL MEET AT FT. WORTH

Jones County girls' softball team was scheduled to have left Thursday morning for Fort Worth, where they will participate in the Texas division tournament of the American Softball Association, which begins Friday and continues through Sunday. Teams from all over Texas are taking part in the three-day tourney. Winners will go to the national meet.

Jones County's team, to be known as the Plainview Oilers, is composed of girls from six regional teams that have been playing at Plainview this summer.

The all-star girls' team played a warm-up game with a Sweetwater girls' aggregation Friday night at Sweetwater, the locals losing.

Scheduled to make the trip to Fort Worth Thursday were these girls: Fayrene Weaver, Gladys Carter, Laverne Jenkins, Dorothy Mae Jenkins, Mickey Anglin, Wanda Ford, Wendy Carlton, Lela Mae Brigham, Bobbie Ruth Brown and Opal Dunnam.

George Ashburn and Hoyt Goodwin are managers of the group. Chick Hewitt will be chaperone of the girls. They are slated to return home Monday.

Cemetery Working Set At Neinda Next Tuesday

Officials of the Neinda Cemetery Association this week are urging the people of the community, and others who have loved ones buried there or are interested in the cemetery's upkeep, to meet next Tuesday morning at 8:00 for an all-day working of the grounds.

Workers are urged to bring their own tools, as well as lunch baskets. A picnic style lunch will be spread at the noon hour.

JOE L. CULBERTSON REELECTED LEGION POST COMMANDER

Joe L. Culbertson, veteran of World War I and ex-mayor of Hamlin, was reelected commander of the Keefer-Patterson Post of the American Legion when veterans of the organization met Monday evening at the Legion Hall in the city hall in annual business session.

Other officers named at the Monday evening meeting were: Brad Rowland Sr., first vice commander; Roy Flowers, second vice commander; Fred B. Moore Jr., third vice commander; Aubra L. Wilkins, fourth vice commander; Fred C. Smith, reelected adjutant; J. T. Miller, sergeant-at-arms; W. F. Martin, chaplain; and Arlie Cassle, service officer.

In a simultaneous gathering of the American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Brad Rowland Sr. was named president of the woman's group to succeed Mrs. Pearl Hudson; Mrs. Homer Rainey was named vice president; Mrs. Jimmy Simmons, secretary; and Mrs. A. Hudson, treasurer.

The new officers will be installed at a county-wide gathering of the three American Legion posts slated sometime in September at the American Legion Hall in Anson. Officers from the posts at Stamford, Hamlin and Anson will be inaugurated in special ceremonies.

Everett Beaver Named County Superintendent

Everett Beaver, Anson Chamber of Commerce secretary, is the new Jonety school superintendent.

He was named by the Commissioners Court to fill the unexpired term of his father, B. T. Beaver, who died last week. The term expires January 1.

Until the Chamber of Commerce vacancy is filled Mrs. Ray McCarty, assistant, will operate the office.

Milton Cary Confesses To 17 Region Forgeries

Milton Cary of Kermit, formerly of Hamlin, signed confession to 17 forgeries in Jones and Fisher Counties this week, District Attorney Esco Walter reported first of the week to The Abilene Reporter-News.

He had been charged with 11 cases in Jones County and six in Fisher but no indictments have yet been brought. He will be taken before the grand jury in September, Walter said.

Six Per Cent Raise on Farm Equipment Seer

Hamlin area farmers and ranchers were this week concerned over the prospect for increased prices on farm equipment, which were being posted with sanction of the revived OPA set-up.

In its first official action under the new price control law, OPA Saturday authorized an average six per cent increase in retail ceilings for all farm machinery and replacement parts.

Guinn Youth Drowned At Hamlin Lake

EFFORTS TO REVIVE VISITING LAD FROM CALIFORNIA FAIL AFTER HOURS' WORK

Efforts to revive Bill Guinn, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Guinn of Ventura, California, who drowned late Tuesday afternoon at the Upper Moore Lake, three miles west of Hamlin, were unsuccessful Tuesday night. Artificial respiration was administered by Hamlin people called to the scene pending the arrival from Abilene of Assistant Fire Chief E. L. Brock and Fireman R. L. Brown, whose efforts to revive the youth with a pulmotor failed after more than two hours' work.

Young Guinn, who was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kite at Hamlin, drowned while swimming with some other boys late Tuesday.

Witnesses said the youth was swimming with his cousins, Alton, Lovena and Oleta Kite, Harry Harrison and Lindol Beard near the lake dam when he suddenly became frightened. Alton Kite and Lindol Beard swam to the rescue but were pulled under water by the drowning boy.

Aid was summoned by telephone from Hamlin, and Teddy Russell Harold Wheat and Starr Inzer, who arrived about 20 minutes after Guinn had sunk for the third time, began attempts to recover the body. Wheat located the body in about nine feet of water by diving.

The boy's mother, who accompanied him here from California, was in Stephenville with her sister, Mrs. Landy Jameson, who had recently undergone surgery there. She arrived at Hamlin late Tuesday night after being notified of the accident.

Funeral arrangements were not known late Wednesday, awaiting arrival of the boy's father from California. The body was being held by Barrow Funeral Home.

More Blue Stone Added To Moore Lake Waters

Another big dose of blue stone was distributed in the Moore Lake, mile west of Hamlin, last week by the city, under direction of C. C. Cobble, city lake keeper. The blue stone is placed in the water to kill the moss growth.

About 1,100 pounds of the mineral was scattered over the lake area on Monday and Tuesday, and reports this week are that most of the moss has already been killed and settled to the bottom.

Removal of the moss makes fishing better and also makes the water safer in case of accident. Only shad, a worthless fish, is killed by the mineral, Cobble explains.

Hamlin Men at Anson Rally for Omar Burleson

Art Carmichael and A. Spencer Monday evening attended a Burleson-for-Congress rally at Anson, when plans were made for carrying Omar Burleson's campaign to all portions of the 12-county 17th Congressional District.

Burleson is pitted against William W. Blanton of Albany in the run-off primary election slated August 24.

MARRYING JUSTICE

Gals and guys of the McCaulley section have a new marrying justice of the peace—George Darden, erstwhile Pot-Shots writer for the McCaulley community, which appears regularly on the back page of The Herald.

There must have been some urgent matters in store for a justice in our neighbor town, as George's name was written in by his friends on the July 27 ballot.

George says he wasn't hankering for the job, but will do his best to do everything that is expected of a first-rate justice.



WOMEN

IN THE

NEWS



Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Pehkonen Friday

Mrs. Foy Mitchell was hostess at a bridal shower last Friday honoring Mrs. E. A. Pehkonen, nee Catherine Crowley of McCaulley.

Muriel Fields presided at the punch bowl assisted by Mrs. Coy Carriker.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Levi McCollum, Ted Abbott, George Maberry, Vera Jayroe, F. L. Rector, L. E. Rector and daughter, W. L. Griffin and daughters, Jeff Jones, H. N. Reed, J. S. Potts and daughter, George Darden, W. F. Richardson, Alexander and daughter, I. D. West, L. H. Milner, J. B. Rector, E. R. Rector, J. S. Faught, J. J. Crowley, T. B. Lightfoot, A. E. Crowley, C. R. Crowley, J. W. Stephens, N. L. Crowley, B. F. Ford, Clyde Bagwell and Nevalyn, G. W. Joplin, Roy Stephens, O. K. Hoyle, Bert Rushing, Edith Stephens, John E. Reed, Jerry Crowley, E. A. Pehkonen and C. H. Clark.

All Seven of Mrs. W. A. Rogers Children Meet

All seven of the children of Mrs. W. A. Rogers were present last weekend at her home in Northwest Hamlin for a family reunion. The gathering, the first time all the group had been together since 1928, was a happy one. Hours of pleasant conversation, games, songs and eating were spent by the group with the pioneer Hamlin resident.

Besides the immediate children at the reunion, 18 of the 23 grandchildren also were present, as well as husbands and wives of the seven children.

Enjoying the get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Seba Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Osie Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Williams and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Williams and children of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Elmore and children of Hamlin, Mrs. Zora Craig of Springville, Tennessee, Mrs. Fay Miller and baby girl Reba, of Hardy, Arkansas.

Vogue Beauty Salon Sold to Fern Barnett

Announcement was made this week of the sale of Vogue Beauty Salon by Mrs. Ray Willingham to Mrs. Fern Barnett. Mrs. Willingham has operated the beauty shop for nearly two years.

Mrs. Barnett is an experienced beauty operator, and will continue to operate the business at the same location. Berniece Graham is assisting operator.

MARRIED MONDAY



Mrs. Clifford R. Reynolds Jr., above, was Lois Ellen Stell before her marriage Monday noon at the home of the bride's parents. Both Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds have been residents of Hamlin. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Hamlin.

Stell-Reynolds Rites Said Monday at Noon

Lois Ellen Stell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stell, became the bride of Clifford R. Reynolds Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Reynolds Sr. of Hamlin, at 12:00 o'clock noon Monday at the home of the bride's parents. The immediate families of the couple attended.

Rev. H. E. East, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tulsa, read the double ring ceremony before an arrangement of greenery, white and blue flowers and candles. Lester Morton, accompanied by Mrs. Morton at the piano, sang "Because." Mrs. Morton furnished the wedding music.

The bride wore an original white French linen dress with pale blue shadow lace trim. She carried a white prayer book topped with a white orchid.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the Stell home. The dining room was decorated in blue and white.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School and North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, and for the past two years has been employed as a registered technologist in the Eighth Service Command laboratory at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio. Reynolds attended the University of Texas, Austin, and Baylor University, Waco, and served for two years with the Air Transport Command as an engineer.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Hamlin.

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Hilda Joyce Hubbard And W. D. Bristow Wed

On Sunday, August 11, Hilda Joyce Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard, will become the bride of W. D. Bristow Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bristow Sr. of Hamlin. Rev. H. L. Bingham of Abilene will read the single ring ceremony at the home of the bride's aunt at Abilene.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home at Austin, where the two will attend Texas University.

McCaulley Women Set Picnic August 20

McCaulley Home Demonstration Club met in the Oliver Lee home last Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, when Mrs. Omar Prather, president, presided.

After a recreational period led by Mrs. Rufus Herbst, the program on the theme, "Utilizing Space for Convenience and Attractiveness," in which some very unusual and attractive designs were displayed by Mrs. Roscoe Perryman.

Plans and time for the annual picnic were discussed, and it was decided to have the picnic August 20 at the McCaulley tabernacle. Each one is to bring a basket lunch.

The group was also reminded to remember the council display of home art August 6 in Roby.

A refreshment plate consisting of tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, stuffed olives, angel food cake and punch was served to Mmes. J. A. Jackson, Omar Prather, W. M. Fancher, W. H. Barton, Glen Henderson, Ray Maberry, Fred Hemphill, Rufus Herbst, Milo Gray, Carrol Lee, C. A. McHone and daughter, Charline Mustain, Roscoe Perryman, Frank Jackson, Louis Boyd and Hallie B. McFatter.

Mr. and Mrs. Duffield Smith, Duffield Jr. and Wade of Dallas were visiting in the H. O. Cassle home first of the week. Mr. Smith returned to Dallas Monday, but Mrs. Smith and the boys remained for a longer visit.

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Sarah Kean Honored At Surprise Dinner

Mrs. W. C. Kean surprised her little daughter, Sarah, with a birthday dinner in the Kean home July 30.

Six little friends were present. Honored guests were Linda Elms and her mother of McCaulley.

After dinner ice cream and cake were served and a series of games were played by the group.

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FURLOUGH PAY BILL WOULD GIVE AREA GI'S GOOD BONUS

Hamlin area ex-service men this week were doing a little private figuring and "counting their chickens before they hatch" as they estimated amounts due them under the GI furlough pay bill that last week passed both houses of Congress in Washington.

Without waiting for President Truman to sign the bill, officials got busy this week on arrangements for paying some \$2,431,000,000 of terminal leave pay to an estimated 15,000,000 World War II enlisted men and women.

The government printing office began work on application forms which are expected to be ready in 10 days. They will be distributed to veterans through the post office probably before the month's end, army officials said.

COUNTY TREASURER



Gene Spurgin Jr. was elected Jones County treasurer in Saturday's voting when he polled a majority of 255 votes over the incumbent, Bill Armstrong. Unofficial vote count was 2,394 for Spurgin and 2,139 for Armstrong.

Banks of New York City were the first in the United States to use the clearing house system.

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McCRARY REPORTS ON INTERNATIONAL LIONS CONVENTION

Dr. J. W. McCrary gave a report of the Lions International convention held recently at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club at the Morgan Hotel. McCrary was a delegate from the local civic group to the annual convention.

More than 8,000 delegates were registered at the Quaker City session, McCrary reported, and attendance at some meetings reached 25,000 during the four-day confab.

An outstanding program of entertainment and educational features made the convention the greatest in the history of Lionism, the doctor told the club. International Lions Club Secretary Melvin Jones, a former Texan and founder of the service club, reported to the convention that more than 5,400 Lions Clubs are now registered with international headquarters, numbering 278,116 members in 18 countries. Gain of 60,932 members was reported during the last fiscal year, Jones said. The more than quarter of a million members makes the Lions Club the largest service organization in the world, McCrary stated.

Ladies' night will feature next Tuesday's Lions Club meeting, it was announced by President Delma Shelburne, when Lions and their ladies and guests gather at Moore Lake, west of town, at 8:00 o'clock for a chicken barbecue. Committees for the outing were named by Shelburne as follows: Food—Joe Culbertson, Gordon Bennett, Henry Albritton, Claud Lancaster and LaFoy Patterson; program—W. C. Russell, Don Gould and W. L. Boyd Jr.; arrangements—A. Spencer, Fred Smith, Burl Bunkley, Harold Bonner and Teddy Russell.

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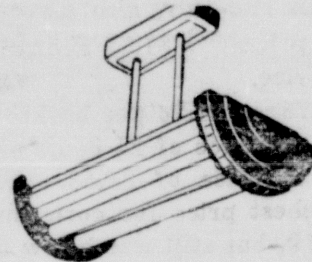
To the Citizens of Jones County: I desire to thank everyone who voted for me in the recent election and to express my appreciation to all for the courtesies shown me during the campaign.

I have served you as county treasurer to the best of my ability. I have always tried to be a good winner, and I shall be a good loser. The result of the election will not interfere with my friendship for the people of Jones County, and my defeat will not embitter me toward anybody.

I offer my congratulations to my opponent on his election.—Bill Armstrong. 1c

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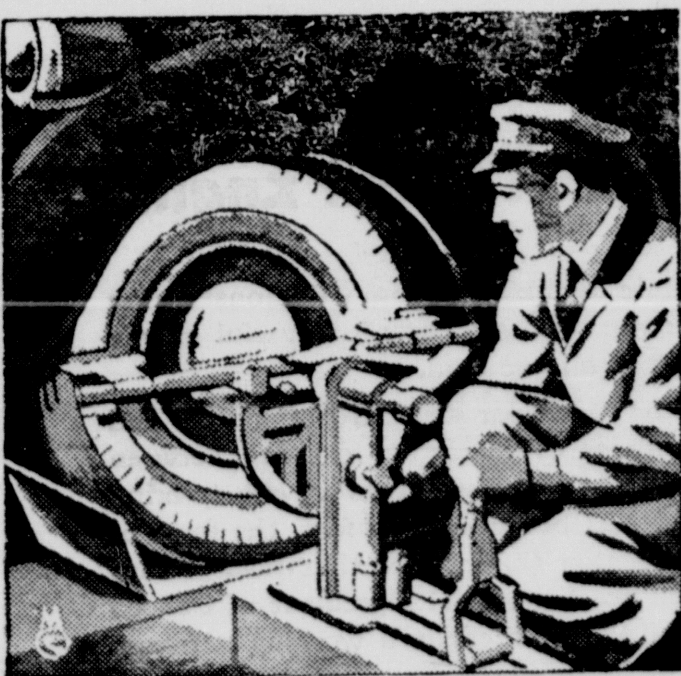
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District Gives Bill Blanton Big Lead Over Opponents

HUGE MAJORITY FOR BILL IN SHACKELFORD COUNTY

Of the 12 counties comprising the 17th Congressional District, Shackelford has the least number of votes, but it piled up for Bill the biggest percentage majority any candidate received in his home county. The two run-off candidates received the following votes in Shackelford County:

	City Hall	Courthouse	Ft. Griffin	Moran	Post Oak	Rockhill	Berryhill	Hastings	Sedwick	Izert	TOTAL
BLANTON	448	355	29	158	27	19	32	26	28	14	1,136
BURLESON	12	12	0	28	13	1	1	10	0	2	80

Thus in Shackelford County only 80 persons preferred Burleson as their Representative.

THREE-FOURTHS OF COUNTIES IN DISTRICT PREFERRED BILL BLANTON OVER BURLESON

In nine counties out of the 12 in the District, voters preferred Bill Blanton over Omar Burleson, by the following certified official returns:

	Shackelford	Stephens	Callahan	Comanche	Island	Drain	Fisher	Hamilton	Palo Pinto
BILL BLANTON	1,136	449	829	1,104	1,500	900	682	709	858
OMAR BURLESON	80	84	453	480	1,401	716	459	263	359

ALL 12 COUNTIES GAVE 10,167 VOTES TO BILL BLANTON
ALL 12 COUNTIES GAVE 8,521 VOTES TO OMAR BURLESON

Bill is going to increase that big lead to a bigger majority in the second primary.

His platform contains no generalities, which never produce anything for the people, but offers specific remedies for existing evils. Bill already knows Congress and Washington, knows congressional procedure, is a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, knows many Congressmen and Senators (although he has never been on the Government pay roll except as an enlisted man in the Army), and he will be able to get desirable committee assignments. He will know how to get prompt attention and favorable action for his constituents relating to their many business affairs with the Government.

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BUSINESS ALREADY IS SETTLING DOWN

Indications from the daily press and from local merchants is that business is already settling down in most retail lines to simpler buying. As stocks of critical goods become more available, people realize that much of their raving and ranting for those goods were superficial.

Reminds us of that old saw, "After you get what you want you don't want it." Especially is that attitude prevalent in the larger cities. We have always contended that folks in the smaller towns are more level-headed, less constrained to become riotous, and more prone to buy what they need rather than what they want.

Such a stable buying in towns like Hamlin will help stem tendency of the American people to cause inflation. Folks who operate on that principle will be less apt to "get hurt" by any occurrence of a so-called depression.

And, after all, careful buying is good for the merchant as well as the purchaser. He can gauge his purchases on the same principles.

PRACTICAL COURSES FOR AREA BOYS

Expanded facilities now being arranged at the Hamlin High School for the vocational agriculture department will provide enlarged opportunities for boys of the vicinity. About three score boys heretofore have been enrolled in the VA classes, in which limited courses were offered. In the future, beginning with the September term of school, more courses will be offered that will fit boys of the area for practical after-school living. More than \$2,000 worth of shop equipment has been received for the VA department, Instructor T. C. Blankinship announced recently.

Fitting boys for their life work is one of the purposes of schooling. When the men of the future can get actual shop training, working with animals, becoming familiar with soil conservation and building, then the change from school to farming, ranching and other vocations is not such a jump.

Since the Hamlin area is primarily an agricultural and ranching territory, improvements in the vocational agriculture department of our school system are "right down the alley" for our ment of the future.

IT TAKES TAX MONEY FOR PROGRESS

Our taxing agencies in Jones County are compiling their tax rolls for 1946 ad valorem payments. Substantial gains in tax rolls are reported all over the country. The gains are a natural consequence of increased values and new property being rendered.

Good citizens look upon the privilege of paying taxes that are just and right as their reasonable tribute to the taxing agencies, which will in turn provide schooling facilities, police protection, civic provisions and other to-be-expected purchases of the agencies. Tax money well invested causes no remorse by the payor.

Increased taxes in any community, school district, county or other tax subdivision usually is the price of progress. Decreasing tax rolls usually indicate that the unit is going backward instead of forward.

Which reminds us to observe again that now is the most opportune time in our history for back taxes to be cleaned up. Our city and schools and county and state should force payment of taxes by those who have deliberately chosen not to pay them. It is unfair for one man to have to pay his taxes, and the next door neighbor be allowed to go by year after year without paying.

ALL MUST GET USED TO NO SUBSIDY

Removal of OPA price restrictions on some items apparently will cause tremendous advances in many items, many of which already have been reflected in the Hamlin area. To be sure some increases probably are justified. The Herald believes prices will adjust themselves in some instances as the buying splurge subsides.

With removal of the price restrictions, subsidy payments on some items also were removed, most felt one being that of two cents per quart on consumer milk. The subsidy is being made up on milk by raising price of milk that amount.

Subsidies may have been necessary in a few instances during the war, but we have opposed such methods almost from the start. It has been a case of robbing Peter to pay Paul. Inequalities have been inevitable. As far as fairness is concerned, we believe everybody is entitled to a subsidy if anybody is. We may as well have paid the filling station operator a two-cents-per-gallon subsidy; paid the shoe cobblers 10-cents-per-shoe; paid the newspaper subsidy of 25-cents-per-subscription; paid the banker \$1-per-year-year on each account.

We must get used to doing business without government help. Let us support our government—not expect our government to support us.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

TAX INCREASE NOT THE ANSWER

The present national administration, according to Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder, may ask an increase in taxes on individuals and corporations "if prices get too far out of hand."

The idea is to take away some of the spending funds available to individuals and business in order to reduce the inflationary pressure.

We fail to see where it would be reasonable to increase taxation on individuals, many of whom will be hard hit by increased prices, in order to reduce buying power. Individuals on salaries and those with fixed incomes will suffer considerably if there is a sharp increase in prices and their predicament would be considerably aggravated by any measurable increase in taxation.

The secretary of the treasury is on firmer ground, however, when he suggests heavier taxes on corporations and business enterprises. If there is market inflation, there will be larger profits, and those who make them will be able to pay heavier taxes without suffering much.—The Sudan News.

FARM PRODUCTS IN PRICE CLIMB GROUP TOO LAST MONTH

Finished products were not the only things taking price advances, Hamlin area producers were realizing this week, as a report from the United States Department of Agriculture reported from Austin that prices of Texas farm products during the month ending July 15 advanced sharply.

Most spectacular price advances were for meat animals, feed grain crops and cotton with dairy and poultry products showing significant price upturns.

Texas beef cattle at \$14.80 per hundredweight in mid-July were at an all-time high and \$1.70 above the mid-June price, also an all-time high for that time. During World War I the price for Texas cattle of \$8.70 per hundredweight in June, 1918, was the peak for that period.

Calves averaged \$16.10 per hundredweight in mid-July, also a record high. The price was \$1.50 above the mid-June price.

Corn averaged \$1.74 per bushel on July 15, an advance of 21 cents over the mid-June price of \$1.53. This was the highest price for corn since August, 1919, but still was below the record of \$1.96 in March, 1918.

Cotton was averaging 30.4 cents per pound on July 15, or 4.3 cents above the average price a month earlier and nearly 10 cents above the price a year ago. During World War I, cotton reached a peak of 36.2 cents in March, 1920.

Bob Harden on Way to Air Service in Alaska

Private First Class R. W. (Bob) Harden of Hamlin, was among a group of 210 volunteers from the famed 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment of the 82nd Airborne Division, who left Fort Bragg, North Carolina, on July 23 to join Task Force Frigid in California, where they will spend six weeks taking advanced training prior to their departure for Ladd Field, Alaska.

Purpose of Task Force Frigid will be to test Army equipment and airborne tactics in sub-zero temperature.

Highway Engineer S. J. Treadaway Gets Award

S. J. Treadaway, district highway engineer for 12 counties with headquarters in Abilene, was one of the Texas Highway Department employees to receive a 25-year service pin in Austin last week.

Treadaway, well known in the Hamlin section, is a frequent visitor here. Jones County is in his district. He has been in this district since 1938.

The Texas Highway Commission made the presentation to veteran employees at the ceremony in the commission's hearing room. Chairman John S. Redditt made a speech of commendation for the work of the honorees.

Time tells on a man—and especially a good time.

MEXICO GOODWILLER



Pretty ambassador of goodwill to the Coahuila, Mexico, governor's Black and White Ball August 3 was Ann Greer of Dallas, student at Texas State College for Women's Saltillo summer school. An outstanding event in Saltillo's social life, the ball is given annually by the governor in the Saltillo Casino.

PAY FOR TERMINAL LEAVE TO ENLISTED MEN IS APPROVED

According to news releases this week from Washington, the Senate last week passed legislation granting an estimated \$2,000,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000 in terminal leave pay to enlisted men in the armed forces and those already discharged.

The Senate is reported to have approved the measure and returned it to the House, which had passed a similar bill unanimously. Under the latest plan enlisted men now discharged would receive compensation up to 12 days pay on the basis of two and one-half days leave for each month of service.

The Senate provided for making the bulk of the payments in interest bearing, non-transferrable bonds instead of cash. Hamlin area discharged enlisted men will welcome the pay, and no doubt in receiving the bonds will have a feeling of security in knowing that now they have Washington "brass hats" looking after them in seeing that they "save and lay away cash for a rainy day."

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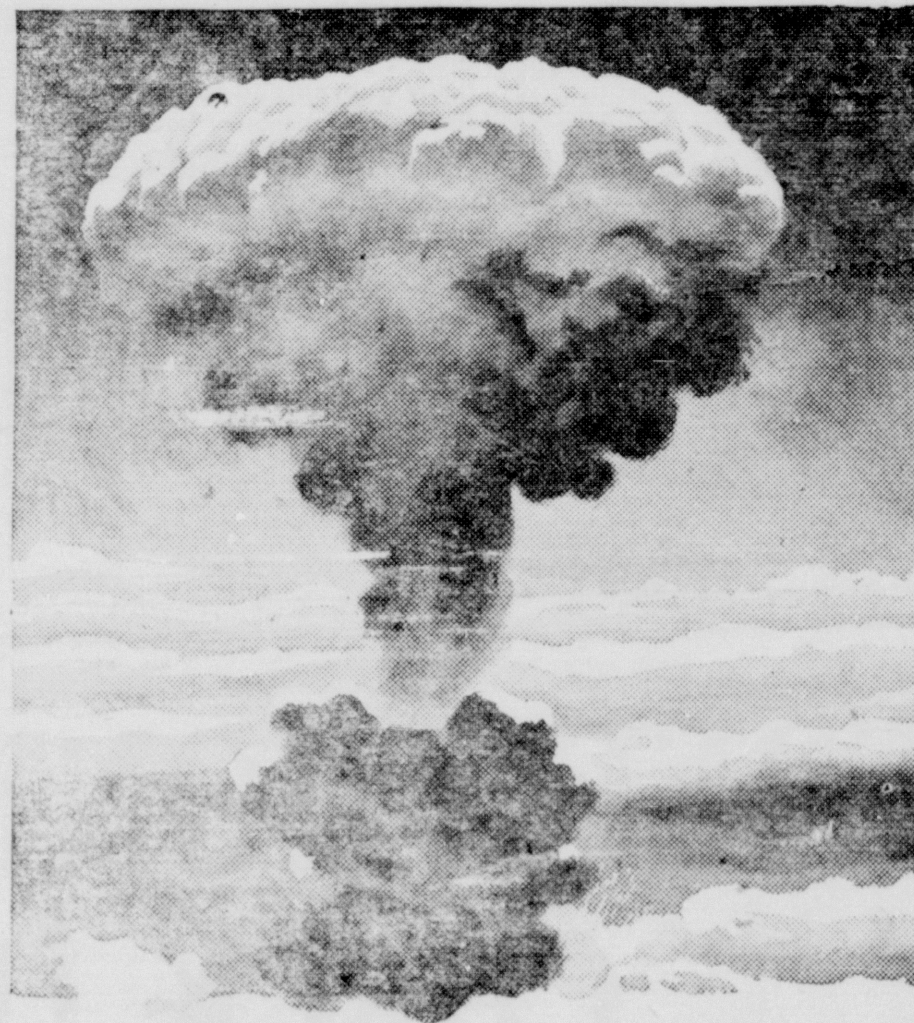
Thanks, Friends-

I want to take this method of thanking the good people of the Hamlin community for a splendid patronage during the past two years I have operated the Vogue Beauty Salon. I have this week sold my interest in the

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to Mrs. Fern Barnett, well known beauty operator of this community, who will continue to operate the business under the same name at the same location. I heartily recommend Mrs. Barnett to my former patrons, and invite new friends into the shop.

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ENTOMOLOGISTS TO AID IN CONCERTED DRIVE ON INSECTS

Alarmed over indication for the first boll weevil infestation in 25 years, entomologists to the United States Department of Agriculture and the Texas A. & M. College have launched a concerted program of education and are supplying suggested remedial measures to assist cotton farmers of the Hamlin section and the rest of the state in saving the 1946 crop.

Information on boll weevil, fleaopper, leaf worm and other insect infestation will be released to the press and public each Tuesday from the Texas A. & M. College under the general heading, "Cotton Insect Situation in Texas."

Each week the report will suggest a program of remedial measures based upon the concentration of insects determined by these state-wide surveys, and a constant check of the effectiveness of control measures tried out.

Shinplasters was the name given fractional currency issued during the Civil War period.

BITS OF NEWS ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd visited with Mr. Boyd's sister at Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Preston and son of Abilene spent last week-end at Hamlin.

Just Unloaded—Carload of red pickets; also car siding.—Paul Bryan Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Simmons were visitors with relatives and friends at Fort Worth first part of the week.

Lovena and Oleta Kite returned Friday from a two-week vacation with their sister, LaRue, at Smithville.

Mrs. S. G. Carruth of Port Arthur is in Hamlin visiting her mother, Mrs. Etta Stephenson, and her sister, Mrs. Virgil Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkerson and daughter of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Wisheit Saturday night.

Charles Lynn Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewer of McCamey, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker Jr. of Gladewater have been guests of Mrs. Baker's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Richey, for the past week.

Mrs. B. A. Shaffer and son, Sherrod, returned Friday from San Saba and Brownwood, where they have been visiting for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Elmore and son, Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter, Mary Louise, left Friday for Arizona for a 10-day vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooks Thompson of Dayton are spending three weeks with friends in and near Hamlin. Thompson formerly was with General Crude located at Hamlin.

Mrs. L. J. Harbison of Youngstown, Ohio, has been visiting in the H. O. Cassle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carpenter of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Branscum over the week-end.

Glen Belew of Abilene is here for a several-day visit with Sammy Frank Vaughan, and to catch up on his fishing at Hamlin lakes.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford and children left first of the week for California, where they will visit with relatives and friends for several days.

Visitors last week in the home of R. L. Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blakely of Hardin, Montana. Mrs. Blakely is a niece of the late Mrs. R. L. Harris.

Mrs. R. L. Kite reported this week that her sister, Mrs. L. Jamerson, who underwent major surgery at the Stephenville General Hospital last week, is doing nicely.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell were Mrs. I. B. Brown of Alva, Oklahoma, Mrs. R. S. Vonnahme of East St. Louis, Illinois, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Criswell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Travis and daughter, Ida Belle, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess D. Richey of Muenster visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Lucy Williams of Vallejo, California, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Holland. She has returned home to her son, Cooper Williams, who underwent a major operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Carlan returned home Tuesday, July 23, from a 10-day vacation in East Texas at Pittsburg, where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. Leonard Reynolds. They also visited with another daughter, Mrs. Tilton Powell, at Greenville.

Chief Radioman Carl D. Andress and Mrs. Andress arrived Sunday from Moffett Field, California, for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Andress and Dr. and Mrs. Paul A. Fowler. Chief Andress is en route to a naval training school at Banana River, Florida.

Clonelle Harris of Dallas is visiting in the home of her father, R. L. Harris.

Just Unloaded—Carload of red pickets; also car siding.—Paul Bryan Lumber Company.

Doris Jean Travis left Sunday for Muenster and Gainesville to visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle Jr. and son, Freddie, of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors with relatives in Hamlin.

Worn-out paper money is sent by the banks to the Treasury Department, where it is macerated. Banks receive new bills to replace the ones sent in.

Washington must have had a wonderful memory for people to build a monument to it.

She isn't a dumb girl if she turns a deaf ear to a blind date.

Gene Spurgin Jr. Says Thanks for Good Vote

To the People of Jones County:

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the splendid support that you gave me in the past primary.

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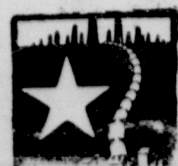
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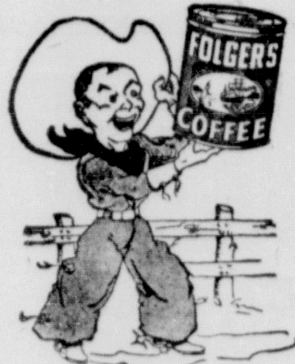
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CARNATION MILK	From Contented Cows Large Can.....	29c
CANE SYRUP	Pure and Wholesome, 3 Pint Cans.....	25c
PEANUT BUTTER	Armour's Star, Full Quart.....	52c
MUSTARD GREENS	Very Best, No. 2 Can.....	12c
SYRUP PEPSIN	Caldwell's, Regular 50c Cottle.....	49c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER	Two 10c Can.....	15c
GALLON PEACHES	Water Pack, \$1.00 Size.....	93c



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McCAULLEY, VFW IN TIE FOR TOP LOOP IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE

It's a neck-and-neck fight for top rung spot in the Hamlin Softball League nowadays, with McCaulley and the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the stellar roles. Both teams, with 13 games behind them, maintain an average of .770, having each won 10 tilts. The Oilers, last week in fifth place, climbed to third spot in the standings.

Most of the nine-member teams in the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored league had only two more games on their league schedule, the regular schedule ending with games Friday night of next week. A play-off under the Shaughnessy plan will be staged between the four top teams at the close of the regular season.

Games since last week's report in The Herald follow:

Thursday—Oilers 6, Flat Top 4; Celotex 12, Yellowjackets 2.

Friday—Yellowjackets 1, Flat Top 11; Celotex 9, Jaycees 3.

Monday—VFW 8, Celotex 4; McCaulley 13, Fire Boys 1.

League standings, including Tuesday night's games, follow:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
McCaulley	13	10	3	.770
V. F. W.	13	10	3	.770
Oilers	12	9	3	.747
Jaycees	13	9	4	.693
Celotex	13	8	5	.611
Flat Top	13	4	9	.308
Radium	12	3	9	.249
Fire Boys	12	2	10	.166
Yellowjackets	13	1	12	.077

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NEW COUNTY JUDGE



New county judge of Jones County will be Roger Q. Garrett Jr., who Saturday polled a majority of 238 over his two opponents, Joel V. Grimes of Stamford and W. H. Eyssen Jr. of Hamlin. He will succeed Gilbert Smith, who did not make the race for reelection.

FOOTBALL FIELD GETS SOAKING FOR GRASSY TURF LIFE

Football field at Pied Piper Stadium in Southwest Hamlin was this week getting a good soaking that put new life into the Bermuda grass blanket on the field, in preparation for the football season for the Hamlin High School charges this fall.

Water was being put through old water mains from the Moore Lake, mile west of town, to provide irrigation for the stadium grass that has gone all year so far without watering. The water was not going through regular mains, and is not being filtered inasmuch as the chlorination process is unnecessary except when the water is used for human consumption.

Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson declared this week that the field will be given several soakings within the next several days that should put the grass in good condition by the time scrimmage is started by Coach L. B. Howard's Pied Piper charges.

Water main leading from the lake to the city pump station runs within 150 feet of the stadium, so the extension to the ball field was only a matter of eight or 10 sections of two-inch pipe being added to the mains.

Damaged U. S. currency is worth only half its face value if only two-fifths and no more than three-fifths remains.

The U. S. ten-cent piece is called a dime after the Latin word decima, meaning one-tenth.

Revival Underway This Week at Neinda Church

Revival services that started Wednesday of this week at Neinda Methodist Church are being conducted by Rev. A. B. Armstrong, pastor of the Sylvester Methodist Church, according to Rev. W. F. Richardson, pastor of the McCaulley Circuit.

Services are being conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. each day, and will continue through August 18. The general public is invited to attend the series of meetings.

Mrs. Spraberry Thanks County People for Vote

I wish to thank the people of this county for their support and vote on July 27. Although I was defeated I received a nice vote, and I am indeed thankful to my many friends. Not only do I thank you for your support in this election, but want to thank you for the many kindnesses you have extended me in past years.

I have enjoyed serving you as your county clerk, and have tried very hard to serve you to the best of my ability.—Mrs. Oma Spraberry. 1c

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Teague Thanks Voters For Legislature Election

To the Voters of Jones County:
I wish to sincerely thank the voters of Jones County for the splendid support given me in my campaign for state representative, and for the large vote which I received in Saturday's primary.

It will be my purpose to serve you to the best of my ability. I will be glad to hear from anyone in regard to any legislation or other matters in which I may be of service to you.

Also I want to express my appreciation to those who spoke a good word in my behalf. Your assistance was very valuable and sincerely appreciated.

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones returned Saturday from Lufkin, where they had visited for the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newhouse have bought the new residence belonging to Joe Smith in North Sylvester and have moved into it.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dickerson are improving the place they bought from Henry Hulse and will soon make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hood and Tommy returned Tuesday from Michigan, where they visited Mrs. Hood's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mauldin and children left Wednesday on their vacation.

Mrs. Jack Pursley is visiting in the A. W. Pursley home this week.

Dorothy Lee Beard of Abilene spent the week-end at home with her mother, Mrs. Bob Beard.

Rev. W. C. Devers, pastor of the Baptist Church, is conducting a revival at Pledger.

Rev. A. B. Armstrong, pastor of the Methodist Church, is at Neinda this week in a revival.

Breezy Cox visited at Stamford over the week-end.

Paul Turner was in Abilene Friday attending the auction sale.

Mary Ann King spent several days the past week at Rotan with relatives, returning home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Pursley of Roby spent Sunday evening with Mrs. A. W. Pursley.

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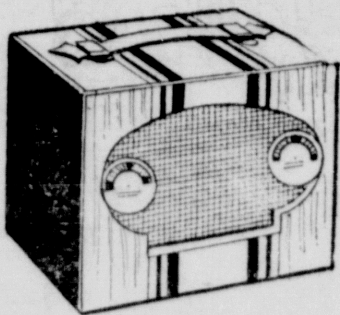
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Mrs. George Hood has gone to California to be with her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Carroll, who is ill of pneumonia.

Jo Ann Montgomery of Abilene spent the week-end at home.

Bennie Ruth Bell of Abilene visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawlis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards over the week-end. They all went Sunday to the Sweetwater park to the Edwards family reunion. Billie Jo Jackson has been visiting here the past two weeks and will return home with her parents.

Mrs. Nannie Mitchell returned last Thursday from a two-week visit to Noodle with her daughter, Mrs. Bennie Anderson, and Mr. Anderson.

Landon Perkins was visiting at Comanche several days last week.

Sergeant and Mrs. Morris Roquemore have returned to El Paso, where Sergeant Roquemore is stationed.

Mrs. A. D. Williams is improving. She has been moved from the Rotan Hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. LaMont Haley, in Rotan.

The Church of Christ revival is in progress at the tabernacle.

Burton Lee Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones, returned home last Friday from the Navy. He received his discharge August 1 after serving almost two years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Perkins are announcing the birth of a daughter at the Rotan Hospital on Sunday, August 4.

Mrs. S. J. Fletcher and granddaughter, Lydia Jo Alcorn of San Angelo, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards.

Mrs. Baldwin of Sherman, sister of Mrs. J. H. Lawlis, has been visiting here recently.

When you are so devoted to doing what is right that you press straight on to that and disregard what men are saying about you, there is the triumph of moral courage.—Brooks.

It is wonderful what strength of purpose and boldness and energy of will are roused by the assurance that we are doing our duty.—Scott.

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FINAL TABULATION
GIVES BURLESON 94
LEAD OVER MILES

In final tabulations of official votes from the 17th Congressional District made Saturday, Omar Burleson of Anson definitely will go into the runoff for the seat vacated by Sam Russell of Stephenville August 24 against William W. (Bill) Blanton of Albany.

Results of the July 27 balloting were hanging in the balance from that time, with various estimates being placed on the Burleson-Ted Miles race for second place.

On the basis of complete and official returns from Democratic chairman in all 12 counties of the district, Burleson held a 94-vote lead over Ted Miles of Stamford. The final totals were Burleson 8,521, Miles 8,427.

Blanton led with 10,167.

Trailing Miles 518 votes was Robert Herring of Breckenridge, with 7,909. Others, in order of their rank, were J. Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, fifth, 6,904; R. M. Wagstaff, sixth, 5,392; Gib Sandefer of Abilene, seventh, 4,921; and Mrs. Nina J. Hendrick, Sweetwater, eighth, 2,609.

There was a total of 54,910 votes polled. It was one of the closest races ever seen in the district, and produced the largest field in recent years.

In Anson, Burleson and his supporters quickly announced plans for a vigorous run-off campaign.

E. W. Hendrick, campaign manager, announced a mass meeting for Monday night at the district courtroom in Anson, for the purpose of organizing Jones County. He said district headquarters have been set up in the Woman's Club building on South Commercial Street. John C. Thompson of Noodle has volunteered as chairman at that office.

Burleson issued this statement:

"Now that the official count of votes has definitely placed me in the run-off for Congress, I am ready to continue a most thorough and vigorous campaign. Mrs. Burleson and I will attempt to stump the entire district in an effort to meet and speak to as many people as possible. The time is short and we expect to utilize every minute in taking this campaign to every community."

McLaughlin Infant Buried.

Funeral was held Friday morning at Clyde for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. McLaughlin of Hamlin, who was born Thursday at Hendrick Memorial hospital and died the same day. Mr. McLaughlin resigned recently as principal of Hamlin High School.

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NEW COUNTY CLERK



H. O. (Herb) Rowland Jr., above, will take office next January 1 as county clerk by virtue of his defeat of Mrs. Oma Spraberry, present clerk, in Saturday's primary election. Rowland polled 2,429 votes to Mrs. Spraberry's 2,156.

Thanks Expressed by
Roland for Good Vote

I wish to sincerely thank the voters of Jones County for the splendid support given me in my campaign for county clerk.

It is my earnest desire to serve you efficiently and to the best of my ability and it will be toward this goal that I shall strive.

Again, I am indeed grateful for the honor you have given me and in this way I would like to express my gratitude to each of you individually, "Thanks a million!"

Sincerely—H. O. (Herb) Rowland Jr.

Milton Fletcher Back
With Discharge from
Three Years in Navy

Ensign Milton B. Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher Jr. of Hamlin, returned home last week. He was discharged at San Francisco, California, on July 18 after three years and 18 days in the Navy.

Milton finished Hamlin High School in 1942, went to Abilene Christian College for one year, then enlisted in the Naval Reserve and received his V-12 training at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth. He was commissioned at Notre Dame Midshipmen's School in October, 1944. He was then assigned to LST 871 on which ship he served until released from duty.

Most of his foreign service was in the Asiatic-Pacific theater. He was in the Okinawa campaign and was at Saipan on V-J Day. His last assignment was with Rear Admiral Blandy's task force at Bikini in the atomic bomb experiments. Milton has a letter of commendation for outstanding work done by his ship at that time. Young Fletcher has been commanding officer of his ship for several months, and was one of the youngest skippers in the Navy on craft of that size.

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FOR SALE—McCormick-Deering row binder. See E. C. Davis, 10 miles northeast of Hamlin. 38-2p

FOR SALE—Nice Golden Jubilee peaches at my place three miles east, quarter of mile north of Rotan; \$2 per bushel.—Dallas Neal. 39-2p

FOR SALE—Cabinet radio.—Mae James, phone 440-W. 1p

FOR SALE—One porcelain top kitchen table; one set table and two benches for breakfast nook or kitchen, pre-war ponderosa pine, enamel blue with ivory trim.—Mrs. Don Gould. 1c

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TERRACING AND PLOWING wanted—I do terracing at government rate of pay; also run terrace lines and make terrace fills; will do your one-way plowing and subsoiling. Telephone me at Tuxedo.—Oran Brigham, Tuxedo, Texas. 38-tfc

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FRUIT DEALERS, Truckers, Everybody—Earliest fine fall apples, Jonathans, Delicious, etc.; now shipping 1946 crop estimated at 10,000 bushels; bring your trucks while they last; also fine pears. Fat hogs and OIC pigs; grow your own.—Shanks Nursery Apple Orchards, Largest in Texas, Clyde, Texas. 37-3p

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HAMLIN CHAPTER No. 310 R. A. M. meets every fourth Thursday night.—W. T. Johnson, H. P.; C. C. Bailey, Secretary. 21-tfc

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We want to express our sincere thanks to the good people of McCaulley, Imperial and Hamlin for the beautiful floral offerings and for their kind expressions of sympathy when our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Eva Parker, passed away. God alone can bless you with such loyal friends as He has blessed us.—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Akins and Children, Mrs. W. H. Parker and Family. 1p

Business Services

CITY LOANS—Cheap interest, payments monthly; for buying, repairing or building new homes or business buildings; fair appraisal; prompt service.—H. O. Cassle, over F. & M. Bank, Hamlin, Texas. 36-tfc

JUST UNLOADED carload of red pickets; also car siding.—Paul Bryan Lumber Company. 1c

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WANTED—Clean rags; no khaki.—Carmichael Tractor Company. 29-tfc

WANTED—Paint jobs, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, phone 166-J. 23-tfc

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—House or apartment.—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Daniel, phone 296. 1c

Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Two five-room houses west of bank.—J. F. Maberry, McCaulley, Texas. 1p

FOR SALE—Near Hamlin, five-room house and barn covered with corrugated iron.—George O. Harrell, Box 769, Anson, Texas. 39-3p

FOR SALE—160-acre farm; 100 acres in cultivation; located seven miles south of McCaulley; would like to buy or trade for home in Hamlin or Rotan; also four good Jersey cows with calves. Mailing address: E. A. Allison, Box 176, McCaulley. 1p

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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

The Democratic county convention met at the Fisher County capital in the courthouse last Saturday morning. Resolutions, six in all, were read and approved by the delegates. Seven delegates were elected to represent Fisher County at the state convention in Dallas on September 10. Resolution No. 6 offered at the convention caused quite a heated discussion between County Judge Formway, County Chairman Neely Morton and Cecil Lotief of Rotan, Formway and Morton opposing the resolution and Lotief fighting for the resolution. The resolution was adopted by a majority on a standing vote. S. E. Miers was nominated as a delegate to the state convention from McCaulley, and alternates are Levi McCollum and George Darden. Mr. Chorn of Rotan was made permanent chairman of the county convention and Melvin Hunter elected as permanent secretary. Delegates from all parts of the county attended and all enjoyed a "spirited" convention—less hair pulling, name calling, etc. No doubt but what the state convention at Dallas will be filled with thrills and possibly spills. After all, it's our American way of doing things—in a great country and a great people.

It's the same old crowd that is fighting Rainey, namely Coke the fence straddler, John Lee Smith, the Texas Regular, and Senator Pappy, the Kansas Republican and old folks' persecutor.

Patrons of the McCaulley post office who desire to take the civil service examination for the job as postmaster at McCaulley may make

application at the post office in McCaulley for necessary blanks. All applications must be in Washington by August 28. Only patrons of the McCaulley post office are permitted to take the examinations for the job.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith and daughter, Gennell, of Rotan were Sunday visitors in the home of the George Dardens. Gennell is spending the week with Margaret Darden.

Mrs. Lawrence Brewer has gone to Chandler, Arizona, to visit her husband, who is stationed there at Williams Field.

R. L. Miers and L. H. Boyd attended the Burleson-for-Congress rally at Anson Monday night.

The man who Potshots this column was elected justice of the peace of precinct No. 2 in a write-in campaign on July 27. Didn't ask for the job, didn't want the job—but if the folks want a "marrying justice," suppose we won't disappoint 'em.

The annual summer revival began at the McCaulley Baptist Church last Sunday and will continue through two weeks with Evangelist Dr. W. Y. Pond of Waco doing the preaching. You are invited.

From letters and from other good sources from subscribers of The Herald is one reason we so often express our frank political views. The people want it—and the name of the column, remember, is "Pot-Shots."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hopkins of Abilene visited last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wishert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin and children of Ropes are visiting this week in the Hennington homes.

Visiting from Fort Worth over the week-end in the home of relatives in McCaulley and Sylvester were Mrs. Charlie Eivens and twin daughters and son, Linnie, and Sherry Eivens. Word comes to us that Mrs. George Martin, who is undergoing treatment at Fort Worth, is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Frank Maberry is still in a serious condition in a Rotan hospital.

Dry weather continues in all West Texas. Early maize is being harvested, the yield being from 200 to

1,500 pounds per acre in this immediate vicinity. Fat cattle still are bringing good prices, but poor and medium cattle are not so hot.

Lewis Boyd and Rufus Herbst purchased a truckload of alfalfa hay last week from Plainview.

Thanks to M. L. Akins of Imperial for a year's subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton and Mr. Caffey, superintendent of Imperial Schools, were McCaulley visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Weatherly and son of Rotan were Friday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boyd.

Mary Ann McCollum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum, is vacationing down in Florida and Alabama for a few weeks.

Thanks to S. E. Miers for a year's subscription to The Hamlin Herald.

A former McCaulley boy, Hugh Anderson, was elected sheriff at Borger in the July primary. Old-timers will remember the Anderson family. And, thanks you Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Borger for mailing us this information.

Mrs. Eva Parker, 78 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Akins, at Imperial Wednesday

of last week. Born October 10, 1868 near New Albany, Mississippi, Mrs. Parker is survived by one daughter, Mrs. M. L. Akins of Imperial; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Parker of Hamlin; 22 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held last Thursday at McCaulley Baptist Church with Rev. Johnny Price of Loraine and former Methodist pastor at McCaulley conducting the services, assisted by Rev. W. F. Richardson of the McCaulley Methodist Church, and Rev. C. E. Dick, Baptist pastor. For many years Grandmother Parker was a resident of this community, and was loved and respected by all who knew her. Burial was in the McCaulley Cemetery under direction of Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin.

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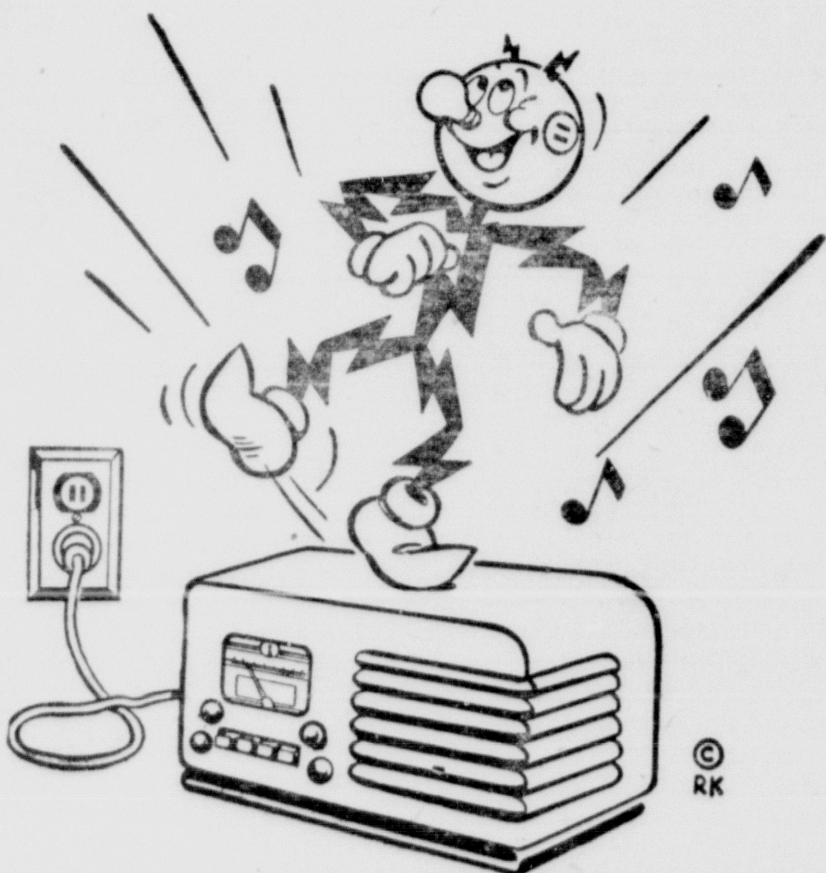
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